

## LABOR BALKS AT TRUMAN POLICIES

KELLY SIGNS  
19 BILLS OF  
SPECIAL TERMMICHIGAN VETERANS  
TRUST FUND IS  
NOW LAW

Lansing, Feb. 25 (AP)—The \$50,000,000 veterans trust fund bill and 10 others enacted in the special legislative session became law today with Governor Kelly's signature.

Kelly now has signed 19 of the 30 measures passed by the lawmakers.

One of the new laws appropriated \$5,733,000 to assist Michigan educational institutions in meeting increased postwar enrollments. Included were Wayne university, the Michigan College of Mining and Technology, Central Michigan College of Education, Michigan State Normal college, Northern Michigan College of Education and the Western Michigan College of Education.

Kelly signed also a supplemental building appropriation of \$2,556,000 broken down into: \$155,000 for the State School for the Blind, \$200,000 for the State School for the Deaf, \$225,000 for the Howell Sanatorium, \$155,000 for the State Veterans Facility, \$225,000 for the department of health laboratories; State Tuberculosis Sanatorium commission, \$500,000; Boys' Vocational School, \$200,000; state police, \$60,000; Ionia reformatory, \$275,000; state prison of southern Michigan, \$121,000; Marquette branch prison, \$270,000; and unemployment compensation commission, \$175,000.

## Money For Parks

Other bills signed:

Provide \$750,000 for state park development.

Authorize the conservation department to use for development purposes already appropriated for acquisition of land in the Porcupine Mountain area and southeastern Michigan.

Authorize counties, cities, villages and townships to develop and administer temporary veterans housing.

Permit discharged servicemen under 21 years of age to enter into contracts to obtain benefits under the GI bill of rights.

Allow county road commissions to buy surplus federal property without taking sealed bids.

Permit the state aeronautics department to receive surplus federal airports and equipment.

Extend adult education programs to schools under the county school commissioner.

Permit school districts to use city registration records where the city and district boundaries are coterminous and their elections are held on the same date.

Workers Walk Out  
At Berkey And Gay

Grand Rapids, Feb. 25 (AP)—Morris Miller, regional representative of the United Furniture Workers (CIO) today ordered a strike of production workers of Berkey and Gay Furniture Company which, he said, started at 2 p. m.

The plant is said to employ 350 workers.

Company officials could not be reached for a statement.

Miller said the union is seeking a 30 per cent wage increase and a new provision covering overtime rates.

According to the union official, negotiations broke down last week when the company insisted, he said, on an incentive pay plan objected to by the union.

## Weather

(Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau)

LOWER MICHIGAN: Tuesday moderate to heavy snow in north and snow or rain in south. New snow accumulating to around 4 inches in north by Tuesday evening. Windy.

UPPER MICHIGAN: Snow, becoming heavy Tuesday, accumulating to 4 to 6 inches Tuesday afternoon. Wind increasing 25 to 30 miles per hour in exposed places, with considerable drifting. Warmer in extreme east. Colder Tuesday night.

ESCANABA	High	Low
Temperatures—Low Yesterday		
Alpena	9	Los Angeles 50
Battle Creek	13	Marquette 9
Bismarck	25	Miami 48
Brownsville	57	Milwaukee 19
Buffalo	9	Minneapolis 20
Chicago	23	New Orleans 49
Cleveland	15	Omaha 35
Denver	34	Phoenix 47
Detroit	12	Pittsburgh 15
Duluth	13	St. Marie 36
Grand Rapids	13	St. Louis 36
Houghton	2	San Francisco 47
Jacksonville	44	Traverse City 16
Lansing	12	Washington 26



STOLEN BABY FOUND IN RAILROAD STATION—Miss Evelyn Peshko, 25, unwed mother (right) and her mother Mrs. Veronica Peshko, hug 4 month old Laura, Evelyn's baby, after it had been found in Chicago's Union Station nursery, hours after the two women told police that Laura had been kidnapped from in front of a store while they were shopping inside. (NEA Telephoto.)

St. Lawrence Seaway  
Foes Challenge Plan  
As 'By-Gone Dream'

BY JAMES C. MUNN

Washington, Feb. 25 (AP)—Foes of the proposed St. Lawrence seaway and power project united today to challenge opponents' claim that the long-sought development is needed on the ground of economic necessity and national defense.

Appearing before a Senate foreign relations subcommittee, considering legislation which would authorize the seaway's construction, F. F. Estes, spokesman for the National Coal association, declared:

"The seaway is a by-gone dream, an unnecessary and outmoded transportation facility. Its construction would be a prodigal

waste of public funds and its operation would be at a perpetual loss."

Also, he said, it represents "potential damage to the railroads and to the U. S. coal industry."

Belief that the seaway development can be justified "only by the most strained and unsound assumptions," came from Walter P. Heddon of the Port of New York Authority.

"The Authority," Heddon said, "also is opposed to the undertaking because it would increase rather than effect a savings" in transportation costs.

"Further," he said, "construction of the seaway would add greatly to the burden of New Jersey and New York taxpayers." The two states, he estimated, would contribute at least \$5,000,000 a year toward operating and maintenance deficits of the seaway.

Rep. E. V. Riney (D-N. Y.), whose district includes the Port of Albany, asserted the New York State legislature would be "short-sighted" if it failed to go on record as opposing the development.

Reminded by Chairman Hatch (D-N. M.) that it was his "impression" the legislature was already on record in favor of the seaway, Riney replied:

"I wouldn't be surprised at that because of the leadership of our present governor (Republican Thomas E. Dewey), but that doesn't represent the majority opinion of the 13 million-plus people that live in our state."

Byrne contended that the state barge canal provides a "shorter and cheaper" transportation route between the Great Lakes and the Atlantic seaboard.

Recorder's Judge Paul E. Krause, on recommendation of Prosecutor Gerald K. O'Brien, had adjourned the examination to the girl's home when city physicians said she had a cold and sore throat and could not be taken to court.

As she sat across the dining room table from Lobaido, Rosalie identified him as the man who raped her and slashed her throat at the Mt. Elliott avenue grocery.

She testified Lobaido cut her throat in a rear room and carried her to a garbage can in an alley, where he jammed her into the can head first.

The girl said she got out and walked around until she got help. Judge Krause asked, "Do you see the man that attacked you?"

Rosalie pointed to a mirror on the wall. Then she turned around and corrected herself and pointed a finger at Lobaido.

Veterans' Housing Project Has Blaze

East Lansing, Feb. 25 (AP)—Fire which destroyed a storage shed and building materials at the Michigan State College Veterans Housing Project Saturday probably will not greatly delay construction, President John A. Hahn said today.

W. M. Burns, state police fire division detective, attributed the blaze to a defective connection in heating apparatus. Damage to wiring and other materials was estimated at several thousands of dollars.

TRUMAN LET  
US DOWN, UAW  
LEADER SAYSHUDDLE IS CALLED  
IN DEADLOCKED  
GM TIEUP

Detroit, Feb. 25 (AP)—President R. J. Thomas of the CIO United Auto Workers asserted today that "President Truman let us down by not seeing that the report of his fact finding committee (in the General Motors strike) was carried out."

Thomas's statement came a short while after the UAW's 200-man GM council was summoned to a Detroit meeting Friday and Saturday to hear top union officers report on the status of the 97-day-old strike.

"Thus far no agreement has been reached and none is presently in sight," declared UAW Vice President Walter P. Reuther in a telegram to all GM locals announcing the weekend huddle of the GM council.

White House Action Urged  
Thomas, commenting on a suggestion by Senator Claude D. Pepper (D-Fla.) that President Truman should summon the GM disputants to Washington in a new effort to settle the strike, said:

"He (the president) should sell the recommendation of the fact-finding board to the people before calling the parties to Washington." Thomas referred to the fact-finding proposal of a 1944 cent (17.5 percent) hourly wage increase to settle the GM strike. The union—which originally asked a 30 percent raise—has agreed to accept the fact-finders' proposal but GM's highest offer has been 18 1/2 cents (16.5 percent).

The UAW president said he did not confer over the weekend with Pepper who made a speech here Sunday. He said he was "not aware" that Reuther had done so, although Pepper said at Washington today that he had talked with Reuther.

Stalling Denied  
Special Federal Member James F. Dewey declined comment on Pepper's suggestion and a GM spokesman said the senator did not contact company officials during his stay here.

Dewey asked to comment on some reports charging the company with "stalling" replied, "everybody is trying to settle this strike."

The mediator said today's session between UAW and GM officials involved a complete review of all matters still unsettled and added, "We haven't settled completely any issues." He announced the negotiations would be resumed Tuesday (10:30 a. m. EST).

Pepper told a reporter he had suggested the move to Secretary of Labor Charles C. Schwelbensch as a result of conversations he held with Reuther at Detroit over the weekend.

"This strike has gone on 96 days and some of the strikers' families are in a pitiable condition financially," Pepper asserted. "Something drastic must be done to end it and I think that it is

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Rioting Grips Town  
Of Columbia, Tenn.,  
Over Negro Assault

Columbia, Tenn., Feb. 25 (AP)—Gov. Jim McCorde tonight ordered four companies of the Tennessee state guard here after Sheriff J. J. Underwood said four policemen were wounded as armed tension gripped this town of 12,000.

McCorde said from Nashville that 45 state highway patrolmen were already here or on their way under command of State Safety Commissioner Lynn Bomar.

Maury County Sheriff J. J. Underwood said that armed men were thronging the public square and other sections of town.

Riot squads were set up around the square and the entire "mink slide" section of the city was surrounded by state guardsmen and highway patrolmen.

The sheriff said the trouble started after a negro woman named Gladys Stephenson and her son, James, were arrested on assault charges. He said the two were accused of shoving a white radio repairman, William Fleming, 28, through a plate glass window on the public square during the afternoon.

WHISKY STAMP VALID  
Lansing, Feb. 25 (AP)—Liquor Stamp No. 13 will become valid March 1 for one quart, one fifth or two pints of whiskey, the state liquor control commission announced today. Punch No. 9 on military permit cards will be good for whisky during March.

Rums, gins, brandies, wines and cordials remain unrationed.

Milk Supply Cut,  
Bread Shortage  
Menaces Detroit

Detroit, Feb. 25 (AP)—Detroiters, their milk supply already curtailed by a dairymen's strike, today faced a bread shortage as 13 of the city's largest bakeries shut down their ovens following a strike at one of the plants.

This was the situation confronting the city:

Milk — The city health department reported only 40 per cent of the city's normal milk supply was available as employees of 16 of

Detroit's 32 dairies remained idle for the fifth day in a wage dispute.

Federal and state mediators met with dairy officials and the CIO United Dairy Workers today in efforts to settle the tieup, but recessed the session until Tuesday (10 a. m.). Observers said the dairy operators stood firm in opposition to wage increases unless the government allows them an increase in milk prices.

An estimated 750,000 residents were without their regular milk supply and police and health department officials aided in directing them to "milk depots" where dairies still in operation are allowing them two quarts a day.

CIO officials said dairies still in operation either had granted the union's original request for a 20 sent hourly wage boost or were covered by AFL union contracts. They indicated 1,000 production workers are on strike, with 2,400 drivers out in sympathy.

Bread—Thirteen large bakeries stopped making bread today in preparation for a threatened city-wide shutdown Tuesday, while members of AFL Teamsters Local 51 charged the companies had staged a "lockout."

Ninety salesmen-drivers of the Tastyee Bread company struck Sunday for a \$5 raise and Alfred W. Owens, head of the companies' negotiating committee, said 12 other bakeries halted operations today fearing that no drivers would be available Tuesday if the strike spread.

Owens said the shutdown of the 13 plants would affect about 50 per cent of the city's bread supply.

Government conciliators said tonight they had offered an undisclosed compromise proposal to the bakers and the union in an effort to avert a spread of the strike. They said both sides agreed to reply to it before 9 a. m. Tuesday.

Thousands Of British  
Continue Patrol Of  
Littered Streets

BY G. MILTON KELLY  
Bombay, Feb. 25 (AP)—Bombay was quiet tonight after a week of violence and disorder, but British troops by the thousands continued to patrol the debris-littered streets in armored cars and British warships, ready for action, rode at anchor in the inner harbor.

Heavy police details, weary from a week of fighting, were held on the alert. The city cleared its streets, repaired its damage and gradually restored its disrupted services.

The latest official figures on civilian casualties were 228 dead and 1,047 injured. Total casualties, however, are believed to have been much greater than the official figures.

Hundreds of wounded were removed by friends and relatives and given private treatment, while many bodies disappeared in burning chats—funeral pyres which daily receive the city's dead.

Gen. Sir Claude Auchinleck, British commander in chief in India, told the Indian people in a statement broadcast over the all-India radio that there would be no vindictive mass punishment for last week's disorders but asserted the ringleaders would be tried and the guilty punished.

"The word strike has been loosely used," he declared. "The correct word is mutiny, and this refers to any collective act of a few or many persons subject to naval, military and air force law against the legal authority of the service."

New Concessions  
To Russia Turned  
Down In Manchuria

BY SPENCER MOOSA  
Chungking, Feb. 25 (AP)—China restated her sovereignty over Manchuria and in effect rejected new concessions to Russia tonight.

This first official Chinese statement of Manchurian policy said simply that Chiang had instructed his headquarters in Manchuria to base negotiations with Russia on these three principles:

1. They must be in accord with Chinese law. 2. The Chinese-Soviet treaty of last Aug. 14 must be respected. 3. There must be no conflict with international treaties to which China is a signatory.

The announcement apparently was made to show the public that Chiang's government has no intention of sacrificing Chinese sovereignty over the rich Manchurian territory which has been a contested prize ever since the Japanese surrender.

Ammonia Gas Sends  
46 To Hospital At  
Grand Rapids Plant

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 25 (AP)—The bursting of a gasket on a high-pressure receiver in the refrigeration system at Dossin's Food Products plant here today sent forty-six persons to St. Mary's hospital suffering from effects of exposure to ammonia gas fumes.

Three of the plant employees—Vivian Estelle, Barbara Systema and Betty McDonald—remained for hospitalization.

Near the equipment when the break occurred were Jack W. Lantz, plant superintendent, and Andrew Veemena, assistant superintendent, who opened windows and sounded an alarm as the fumes spread rapidly to the second and third floors.

Lantz and Veemena escaped serious injury by holding their breath and drinking olive oil.

Meat Dealers Close  
Cincinnati, Feb. 25 (AP)—Seventeen independent meat wholesalers voted at a mass meeting tonight to close down their packing plants Friday in protest, their spokesman said, against "harassing restrictions and complicated regulations imposed by the Office of Price Administration."

BOYS COME BACK  
Grand Rapids, Feb. 25 (AP)—Brig. Gen. Leroy Pearson, Selective Service director for Michigan, said today that 375,000 World War II veterans have returned to Michigan and estimated 40,000 to 50,000 will arrive in the state each month until the middle of the year.



'CINDERELLA'—As a tribute to her courage in winning a seemingly hopeless fight for life, 10-year-old Bernice Morgan of Mobile, Ala., will be the official Miss Cindarella of that city's 1946 Mardi Gras celebration. Six years ago she fell ill of a rare and progressive, did not respond to treatment. The Mobile Press Register learned of her plight and made an appeal for funds for medical care which brought generous response from Mobilians and citizens of neighboring counties and states. Slowly she fought through and conquered the dread blood disease. Today, smiling, rosy-cheeked and healthy, she awaits her big moment at Mobile's first postwar revival of mystic merrymaking. (NEA Photo.)

CHINA MERGES  
ARMED FORCES

Communist And National  
Armies United, First  
Time In History

BY SPENCER MOOSA  
Chungking, Feb. 25 (AP)—China consolidated her government and Communist armies today into a single national defense force, which in turn is to be progressively reduced to 60 divisions of about 850,000 men within 18 months.

Not in 4,000 years of recorded history has China enjoyed a single armed force free of the whims and intrigues of warlords and politicians, and belonging solely to the state as a whole.

General Marshall, special American envoy who was a prime mover in the unification program declared:

"I can only trust that its pages will not be soiled by small groups of irreconcilables who for a selfish purpose would defeat the Chinese people in their overwhelming desire for the right to live in peace and prosperity."

The agreement which was signed despite this protest provides that within one year the unified army is to consist of 108 divisions of approximately 1,500,000 men—90 divisions being formed from the present government forces and 18 from the Communists.

The president of the Chinese republic is named commander-in-chief of all armed forces with power to appoint or relieve any subordinate officers, except that case of Communists he must make his appointment from nominations submitted by the senior Communist member of the government.

Four Youths Break  
Out Of Kent Jail,  
Overpower Turnkey

Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 25 (AP)—Seventeen-year-old Leslie Trendt of Grand Rapids, one of four youths who broke out of the Kent county jail Sunday morning, was sentenced today to serve two and a half to five years in prison.

He appeared before Judge Thaddeus B. Taylor and admitted a larceny charge.

Trendt was apprehended here while one of his companions, Cecil Coil, 16, of South Bend, Ind., was picked up by South Bend police as he was driving a car reported stolen at Grand Rapids.

Robert Bonezkowski, 15, and Harold Chase, 16, both of Grand Rapids, were apprehended yesterday by Indiana state police near Gary, Ind., while driving an automobile reported stolen from Lewis Tomlinson of Ionia.

The four youths overpowered a turnkey, Peter Drabinski, when he was lured into the cell by Coil who had opened the door with a key he had altered to fit the lock. Coil was arrested while attempting to rob a South Bend filling station when officers fired into his car.

ANOTHER RISE  
PREDICTED IN  
LIVING COSTSPAY CONTROL PLAN  
OF TRUMAN NOT  
LIKED BY CIO

Washington, Feb. 25 (AP)—Organized labor balked at wage control features of President Truman's new wage-price policy today while funds for enforcement were threatened and congress heard living costs may soar another 10 per cent.

These developments came thick and fast:

1. The CIO told Economic Stabilization Director Chester Bowles it "could not commit itself" to the order calling for approval of wage increases by the wage stabilization board. It proposed that the board remove this requirement by a resolution.

2. The AFL foresaw new strikes among its unions which had settled for less than the patterns which might be set by the board.

3. The senate appropriations committee cut by half the funds the house had voted to operate the OPA and the Civilian Production Administration for the next four months.

4. Chairman Marriner S. Eccles of the federal reserve board told the house banking committee there is "some possibility" of a further rise of 10 per cent in the cost of living as a result of the new presidential wage-price policy. He said that "labor must be made to understand that future increases in wages, after the adjustment now in progress, must come only from increased production and profits."

The CIO stated its position in a letter to Bowles, climaxing a day of conferences between Murray and his top union associates, except those directly involved in negotiations in Detroit and New York.

Support Pledged Bowles  
The CIO reaffirmed its support of price control and pledged to Bowles "its wholehearted cooperation in the fight for the renewal of the price control act" which expires next June 30.

For three days the wage stabilization board has held heated, closed sessions in an effort to reach a satisfactory settlement. Murray suggested the board perform only the functions originally intended for it—passing upon wage reductions and inequities and cleaning up the backlog of problems left by the liquidated War Labor Board.

The OPA and CPA appropriations were slashed by identical votes of 11 to 9 in the senate appropriations committee. The OPA appropriation had been for \$1,854,000 and the CPA's for \$1,500,000.

Senator McKellar (D-Tenn), acting committee chairman, said the cuts might be restored when the bill reaches the senate floor probably tomorrow.

Eccles, federal reserve chief, noted that living costs had risen by 30 per cent since pre-war days, and said they might climb another ten per cent under the new policy.

Proposes Continued OPA  
He told the house banking committee that "wage increases can only be justified when they can

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Today's News  
Highlights

DEARFREE — Furniture production on increase; 60 persons employed at Wells plant, Page 5.

NO DUPLICATION — Atty. Robert Lemire tells Kiwanians three agencies here are all working to assist veterans, Page 3.

RED CROSS—Meeting will be held tonight to complete plans for fund raising drive, Page 3.

TOWN HALL—Trapp Family Singers concert enjoyed by large crowd, Page 2.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENT—Seven injured in two-car collision on Highway US 2-41, Page 10.

CONVENTION — Upper Peninsula liquor vendors will meet here Wednesday, Page 10.

SKI PARTIES—Gladstone Ski club meeting this afternoon to determine year-end policy, Page 7.

SKATE MEET — Manistique skating program success, draws 700 spectators, Page 7.



# MANY ATTEND TOWN HALL

## Trapp Family Concert Is Outstanding Success

An evening of refreshing and exquisite music was presented by the Trapp family last night before a capacity audience at the William W. Oliver auditorium.

Appearing in a concert which included early pre-classical, religious and folk music, were the Baroness Maria von Trapp, her seven gifted daughters, and their musical director, the Rev. Franz Waser.

The music of the Trapp family is simple and profound. It is the result of sincere, deep feeling and flawless technique. For their opening group of numbers, the family chose religious, aural music, and two sonatas which they played on ancient instruments. Their performance was fresh and spontaneous, rather than a scholarly revival of the past.

The Baroness and her daughters appeared in conservative black and white dirndls, the formal evening version of their native Austrian dress. For the second half of the program, when lusty yodels and gay folk songs from many lands supplanted the quieter and more religious airs, the mother and daughters chose gay Tyrolean holiday attire.

The second group of songs included numbers in French, German, English and their native Austrian dialect, all marked with outstanding clarity of diction. Most of the singing was without accompaniment, and was extraordinarily beautiful. Particularly well-received by the audience was a Tyrolean echo song, and the "Evening Prayer," from Hansel and Gretel, by Hummerdinck.

Wild applause at the conclusion of the program brought the Trapp family back for five encores, and they graciously obliged the audience, singing two songs of Stephen Foster, Brahms' "Lullaby," a French Christmas carol, and a song, "The Children's Blessing," composed by Fr. Waser on the occasion of the birth of Johannes von Trapp, youngest of the family who was born in this country five years ago.

To quote Thomas Archer, veteran critic of the Montreal Gazette, "It is extremely doubtful if the Trapps can be matched on this continent in the performance of Renaissance and baroque choral music. They know what many choral experts in North America do not seem to know, namely that this music should be sung lightly, flexibly, with the utmost precision, and preferably by a small group of singers. \* \* \* This style of singing will not become a lost art so long as artists like the Trapps are able to preserve it."

# TRANSMITTED DOWN, UAW LEADERS SAYS

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time the president took a hand in it again."

Reuther's announcement of the summoning of the GM council marked its first meeting since Jan. 13 when it approved acceptance of the presidential fact - finding board recommendation of a 1912 cent hourly wage increase to settle the labor strike.

## No Results Yet

It came as union and GM negotiators met again today with special Federal Labor Mediator James F. Dewey in an effort to reach agreement on issues in the strike—longest and costliest in the history of the automotive industry.

The conferees held two sessions today and C. E. Wilson, GM president, returned to the parleys this afternoon for the first time since last Wednesday when he absented himself because of illness.

Reuther left in the midst of the meeting to keep a speaking engagement at a fund-raising rally in New York tonight.

Dewey, special labor department mediator, said the parleys picked up today where they left off Saturday. Derving he had brought a new settlement formula to the conference, Dewey indicated the discussions continued to center around wages, seniority, vacation pay and "non-economic issues."

On wages the union has demanded an increase of 19 1/2 cents an hour—the figure recommended by the fact-finders—and the management has offered 16 1/2 cents.

Meanwhile a scheduled resumption tomorrow of a National Labor Relations Board hearing in the GM-UAW relations was again postponed until March 6. The hearing is on UAW charges that the corporation has failed to bargain in good faith in the dispute that precipitated the walkout of 175,000 GM production workers.

## City Employees Paid Off At Houston As 1,000 Leave Jobs

Houston, Tex., Feb. 25 (P)—Some 700 striking city employees were ordered paid off today after they ignored the city council's back-to-work ultimatum and attended a union meeting instead.

"They weren't fired, they quit," City Manager J. M. Nagle announced. "I have directed Treasury Director W. B. Collier to prepare immediately their time checks and pay them off."

The workers were employed in the city's water, sewage and gas plants and garage lots. They went on strike last week to back up demands for wage increases and union recognition. Union leaders said 1,000 left their jobs, but city officials placed the number around 700.

Shortly afterward, AFL officials announced that 700 Houston taxi drivers would take a "holiday" tomorrow as a gesture of sympathy for the city's striking employees.

Nagle's announcement was followed by an appeal from a joint meeting of all trades affiliated with the AFL directed to "the working people and other citizens of Houston" to stage a mass march on the city hall at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow "to protest the arrogance and utter lack of consideration of the welfare of the city employees and citizens of Houston."

The U. S. has the highest per capita rate of consumption of matches among adults in the world, about 14 per day, and the lowest per capita cost for matches, six mills a week.

There are 54,000 towns and villages in the United States served only by highway and motor transport.

City police and fire departments, meanwhile, went ahead with emergency plans to prevent a complete paralysis of the city's 550-mile transit system should the threatened strike materialize.

The board of estimate today authorized Mayor William O'Dwyer to operate the subways in case of a strike.

## Munising News

**VETERANS RETURN**  
Munising — Alger county veterans returned during the week ending Feb. 23, include:

Munising: James C. Thompson, Alexander B. Charter, Francis C. Sturgeon, August T. Frederickson, John T. Wood, Fred E. Goings, Eben Jett, Harold A. Anttila, Willard D. Brown.

Grand Marais: Harold J. Eichelsberg, Rosalie D. Senecal.

Trenary: Arvo J. Seppa, Ernest E. Maki.

Au Train: Curtis E. Martin.

Others: Orrie E. Raymond, Alma, Michigan; Harold R. Bovan, Coleman, Wisconsin; Raymond J. Erickson, Atlantic Mine, Michigan; Tauno Kallio, Escanaba, Michigan.

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# FOOD SUBSIDIES REASONS GIVEN

## Prices Crowd Ceiling Mark Instead Of Dropping

By OVID A. MARTIN (P) Newsfeatures

Washington —Americans have been buying more food and eating better in recent months than the government thought they would.

This is why President Truman and his food officials changed their mind about eliminating wartime food subsidies costing the Federal treasury nearly \$1.8 billion a year.

Last November the government announced that food subsidies would be dropped June 30. That is the date when congressional authority for their payment expires. The subsidies were started during the war for the two-fold purpose of holding a stable line on civilian food costs and encouraging farmers to produce abundantly.

**Looked for Price Drop**  
When the government announced its decision to let the subsidies die, it reasoned that food prices would go down in the meantime and that elimination of the subsidies would not raise consumer food bills.

This reasoning was based upon expectations that unemployment would increase during the industrial reconversion period.

The government figured, too, that the overall demand for food would decline as a result of the return of several million soldiers and sailors to civilian life. Men in uniform eat more on the average than do the same men in civilian pursuits.

But demand increased. The demand for food did not decline as had been expected. It has gone up instead. As a consequence, prices, instead of weakening as government economists had expected, have pressed harder and harder against ceilings.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson, who led a move to get rid of the subsidies, has readily acknowledged that the demand and prices have not acted as he and his aides expected.

In a recent speech advocating continuance of subsidies beyond June 30, he said:

**Employment Beat Guess**  
"Unemployment did not develop to the extent anticipated. The production of consumer goods, which was expected to absorb some of the buying power, did not get underway as fast as was expected."

In urging Congress to authorize continuance of subsidies, President Truman estimated that if subsidies should be dropped at the end of June and ceilings on subsidized foods raised to offset the subsidies, the overall cost of food would increase eight per cent.

Mr. Truman said that if food costs were increased, it would be extremely difficult for the government to control the forces of inflation. Workers undoubtedly would demand wage increases to offset higher food costs.

The President wants to continue the subsidies until they can be removed without forcing food costs to go higher.

## Real Deer Takes Walk In Lansing

Lansing, Feb. 25 (P)—An honest-to-gosh deer—said by local naturalists to be the first sighted in these parts since pioneer days sniffed around in Lansing's corporate limits today.

The deer, believed to be a doe although called "antlered" by some, was spotted by Mr. and Mrs. Lamoine Keel within two miles of the state Capitol. Later, it was seen heading west, chased by a startled "city" dog.

In Scotland, about 1650, fines were imposed for non-attendance at parish churches. Soldiers were quartered in non-conformist districts to collect the fines.

## THE CATHARTIC HABIT

★ Too many people are influenced by stories concerning "intestinal cleanliness" or "stimulating the flow of bile." Many cases of simple constipation do not require a laxative at all, but only a minor change in diet and habit.

The habitual use of cathartics is dangerous. Such misuse is often followed by chronic ill health. Strong laxatives are particularly dangerous when taken to relieve abdominal distress. The source of the pain should always be accurately determined by your physician. The safe procedure is to consult him. If a laxative is needed, he will prescribe a safe preparation with proper instructions for dosage. Then bring your prescription to us for expert compounding.

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# U. P. Briefs

## REAGANS GET JUDGMENT

Crystal Falls.—After deliberating five hours, a jury in circuit court awarded a net judgment of \$580 to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Reagan of Marquette, in their \$10,000 breach of contract suit against Robert F. Rollins, operator of the Triangle Ranch near Amasa.

The jury of five women and seven men also awarded the full amount of \$2,000 in a counterclaim filed by Rollins against the Reagans, but since the latter were allowed about \$2,500 in their action, their net award amounted to only \$580.

The action brought by the Reagans, who formerly operated the chicken farm at the Triangle Ranch, against Robert F. Rollins, lessee, went to the jury of five women and seven men after a three-day hearing.

**RENT PROBE PROMISED**  
Iron Mountain.—Early inquiry by OPA into reported sharp increases of rent in this area is indicated in a letter received by Alex LeGault, member of the labor advisory committee, Local 952, UAW-CIO, from Samuel Jacobs, CIO liaison officer in the OPA at Washington, and who was a principal speaker at the recent conference of CIO officers at the Dickinson hotel.

Jacobs wrote LeGault in response to the copy of a resolution adopted by the CIO labor advisory committee in Escanaba, and later endorsed by the Iron Mountain city council and other civic groups, in which the CIO reported a critical rent situation in Ironwood, Menominee, Iron Mountain and other U. P. cities.

**SEEKS HIGHER PRICES**  
Iron River.—A clarification of price regulations on iron ore is needed before mining companies sign agreements with the CIO-United Steelworkers on the proposed 18 1/2 per hour increase in wages, it was learned here last night.

Mining officials and CIO authorities here declined to discuss the issue, but it is known that companies selling ore on the open market cannot profitably operate mines without an increase in price.

Earl T. Bester, Duluth, district representative of the CIO, who is acting for Henry A. Burkhamer, now in Pittsburgh, said that companies in the Lake Superior region have been notified by the union of its desire to arrange meetings for negotiations on the new wage adjustment.

**WROTE EXTORTION NOTE**  
Sault Ste. Marie.—A ten-year-old Sault girl, who said she had read too many dime thrillers, admitted to Chief of Police J. Wilford Welsh that she was the one who penned a \$25,000 extortion note which she placed in the Jay Kemp mailbox at the postoffice.

Following is a copy of the note placed in the mailbox:

Sir,  
You are going to be killed if you do not send \$25,000 tomorrow to Fred Kammerdiner at 113 East Maple ave.

A hunch, a "break" and some detective work by Chief Welsh, brought a quick solution to the case.

In 1919 man first smashed the atom, in 1929 he first developed giant atom-smashing machines and in 1939 discovered the nuclear fission secret of Uranium 235.

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TONIGHT

COLISEUM

ROLLER RINK

7 TIL 10

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FEATURE SHOWN 7:00 and 9:15

## OLD HENDRICKS RESIDENT DEAD

Mrs. Libbie Micheau Was On School Board For Over 17 Years

Mrs. Libbie Esther Micheau, 67, of Hendricks, died at 3:40 a. m. Monday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Campbell of Woodlawn. Mrs. Micheau suffered a stroke a year ago and had been in poor health since that time.

Mrs. Micheau was born May 22, 1878 at Burlington, Vt. and came to Hendricks 47 years ago. She was a member of the Cornell township school board from 1927 to 1944, and was a member of the Holy Family church at Flat Rock.

Surviving are two sons, Milton and Norman, of Hendricks; four daughters, Mrs. Wallace Campbell (Dorothy) of Woodlawn; Mrs. Archie Sanville (Maude) of Hendricks; Mrs. Lawrence O'Dess (Naomi) of Detroit; Mrs. Abram Hyer (Genevieve) of Northland; 18 grandchildren; two brothers, Frank Cootware of Quinnesec and Fred Cootware of Iron Mountain; three sisters, Mrs. Albert Reack, Mrs. Henry Peronto, Mrs. Percy Olds of Iron Mountain.

The body was taken to the Allo funeral home and will lie in state beginning at 7 o'clock tonight. Funeral services will be at 9 a. m. Thursday at St. Ann church, with burial in St. Ann cemetery.

## ANOTHER RISE PREDICTED IN LIVING COSTS

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be met out of increased productivity and profits without increasing prices."

To hold down the inflation pressures, he proposed:

1. Continue OPA for at least another year beyond the June 30 expiration date.

2. A substantial increase in the capital gains tax to put the brakes on speculative buying, especially in the stock market.

3. The government should refrain from creating further bank credit, "a primary source of inflationary pressures," by bringing about a balanced budget, and beginning to pay off some of the nation's debt as soon as possible. He suggested also that commercial banks sell some of their government securities to non-bank investors.

In answer to questions by committee members, Eccles said OPA now estimates living costs are about 30 per cent above prewar levels. He said "there is some possibility" these cost increases will reach a maximum of 40 per cent as a result of the wage-price policy, which Mr. Truman described as a "bulge" but not a "break-through" in the line against inflation.

Chester Bowles, new economic stabilizer, told the committee last week that prices of food, clothing and shelter can be held at about their present levels under the new policy.

## Windup Of Federal Relief Proposed In Security Expansion

Washington, Feb. 25. (P)—Two Republican members of the House and means committee declared today that any expansion of the retirement and survivors phase of the social security program should be accompanied by an end of federal relief payments.

Reps. Knutson (R-Minn.) and Curtis (R-Neb.) suggested at a committee hearing that states, under an expanded social security plan, should take over the entire burden of relief payments to the needy.

The public assistance portion of the social security plan now in effect calls for government contributions to states which supply matching funds to take care of destitute persons.

A contrary view was presented by Arthur J. Altmeyer, chairman of the social security board, who said that instead of leaving public assistance responsibility solely to states the board wants even more liberal payments made to needy people and their dependents.

# DETROIT MUSICIANS HEAR MAD PIANIST

## Briefly Told

Wolverine Directors—A meeting of the board of directors of the Wolverine Conservation association will be held at 7:30 o'clock on Friday evening in Rev. Karl Hammar's study.

**Bay de Noc Encampment** — A regular meeting of Bay de Noc Encampment No. 174, I. O. O. F. will be held on Wednesday evening, February 27th at the L. O. O. F. hall, North Tenth Street, beginning at 8 o'clock. Oliver Swanson and Victor Peterson are members in charge of the lunch committee. A large attendance is desired.

**Eagles Meet Tonight** — A regular meeting of the Escanaba Eagles will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in their new hall, 610 Ludington.

Monroe, Mich., Feb. 25 (P)—Barbara Banek, eight, was killed and her mother, Mrs. Frank J. Banek, 27, and sister, Patricia, 10, were injured when their car collided with a truck late this afternoon. They are residents of Monroe, and are in Mercy hospital for treatment of cuts and bruises. The truck driver was not held.

physician said, is his first sign of improvement.

**Patient Eight Years**  
The hospital asked that the artist's name not be made public.

His appearance was arranged by Dr. Ira M. Altschuler, hospital psychiatrist, to demonstrate to a conference of the Music Teachers National Association the value of music in aiding the mentally ill.

Dr. T. K. Gruber, hospital superintendent, said the pianist has been a patient for eight years, unable or unwilling to converse or read even the simplest language. His present interest in music, the

physician said, is his first sign of improvement.

## FINAL TIMES TONIGHT

EVENING SHOWS ONLY 7:00 AND 9:00

"The Sailor Takes A Wife"

with ROBERT WALKER and JUNE ALLYSON

FEATURE SHOWN 7:25 and 9:25

## ALSO—NEWS and SPORT REVIEW

STARTING Tomorrow Night

EVENING ONLY 6:30 and 9:20

BARGAIN DOUBLE FEATURE

FEATURE NO. 1

SHOWING AT 6:38 and 9:30

## ONE MOMENT OF RAPTURE!

STOLEN AS THEY GAMBOLED RECKLESSLY WITH DEATH TOGETHER!

FIERCE ... WAS THEIRS, A LOVE THAT KNEW NO FEAR!

GREGORY PECK

TAMARA TOUMANOVA

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With ALAN REED • MARIA PALMER

FEATURE NO. 2

"shame!" THEY SHOUTED!

WHAT WAS HER CRIME?

WHY DID THEY HATE HER PORTRAIT?

DOLORES DEL RIO

Portrait of Maria

with PEDRO ARMENDARIZ

FEATURE SHOWN 6:45 AND 9:00

THE NEWS!

● Cardinals Fly To Rome For Elevation By Pope!

● Justices Urge Brotherhood!

● Lens Aces Elect Their Own Queen!

● Sport Flashes — Basketball Upset—Horse Racing On Ice—Dog Champion!

SHOWING AT 8:06 and 10:56



## VETERANS AID WORK OUTLINED

Atty. Lemire And Elmer Olson Are Speakers At Kiwanis

The Office of Veterans Affairs, the Red Cross and the contact representative of the Veterans Administration do not duplicate in their functions and are all working for the same purpose, the giving of assistance to war veterans, Atty. Robert Lemire, OVA veterans counselor, said in a talk at the meeting of the Kiwanis club yesterday.

Establishment of a contact office was requested of the Veterans Administration by Gerald J. Cleary, secretary of the OVA, the speaker said. He added that the three agencies are all kept busy taking care of the needs of veterans.

Attorney Lemire explained how the OVA office here functions to obtain emergency hospital service for veterans, who require treatment for ailments or disabilities not connected with their military service. Hospital expenses in such cases are paid from a state fund, and thus far about 10 per cent of the cases in the state have been from Delta county. He explained that the OVA office also assists veterans and their dependents in presenting claims, arranging for loans and education under the GI Bill of Rights, and performing other services.

Elmer Olson, veterans employment representative of the U. S. Employment Service, also explained the functions of his department. He stated that from 1200 to 1300 Delta county veterans have made applications for jobs. While unemployed, the veterans are drawing \$20 per week in jobless benefits. He emphasized, however, that the veterans prefer to obtain employment in positions that offer security and opportunity for advancement.

## Nahma

### Bowling Notes

Nahma, Mich.—On Monday night of last week the Elite took 3 games from the Scholars, Dick Hecott who bowls with the Elite, broke the high single game record with a score of 242. Hecott also took over the high single 3 games with 603.

The Herring Chokers who were tied with the Yard Birds for first place took 2 games from them and are now on top in the league standings.

On Thursday the P's took 2 games from the River Rats, but the River Rats won the 3rd game with a new score for high single team game of 904.

**Standings**  
 Herring Chokers ..... 13 8  
 Yard Birds ..... 12 9  
 The Elite ..... 11 10  
 P's ..... 10 11  
 Scholars ..... 9 12  
 River Rats ..... 8 13  
 Any team wanting a match game, write to James Roddy, Nahma, Mich.

**C. Y. O.**  
 The C. Y. O. of St. Andrew's parish will meet at the school on Wednesday evening.

**Birth**  
 Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pital announce the birth of a daughter at the St. Francis Hospital on Feb. 17. The baby weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces and was named Leone Virgil.

**Freshmen-Sophomore Party**  
 The Freshmen and Sophomore classes held a winter party at the school on Saturday evening. Red decorations trimmed the room where the party was held. The evening was spent with games, stunts and dancing. Programers displaying a winter scene were used. Lunch was served in the school dining hall. Music was furnished by the school record player.

Faculty members present were Supt. L. J. Pital and Mr. and Mrs. Lew Bramer. Mr. Bramer is the class advisor.

**Personals**  
 Miss Kathryn Hruska of Manistique spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hruska.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Finstrom and son Wallace of Escanaba visited on Sunday at the Henry Lavigne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bramer and Edwin Peterson visited on Friday evening at the Tom Eleger home in Escanaba. Mrs. Peterson returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Cunningham and family of Gladstone called at the Andrew Krutina and Victor Thibault homes on Sunday.

Cpl. Richard Zimmerman who has been on furlough has reported to Fort Sheridan where he will be stationed. His wife remained with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerman.

Adm. Robert E. Peary discovered the North Pole on April 6, 1909.

## More Than a Laxative Is Often Needed

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## Munising Fishermen Sue 4 Conservation Officers

Fred A. Westerman, Lansing, chief of the fish division of the Michigan department of conservation, and three other conservation officers are being sued by two Munising commercial fishermen who are asking judgments totaling \$2,345 for alleged damage resulting from the conservation department's seizure of under-size gill nets last November.

The plaintiff fishermen are Ray Adair and Philip Van Landschoot. Named defendants in addition to Westerman are Howard R. Sayre, Lansing, chief of the department of conservation field division; John A. Anguilim of Escanaba, supervisor of the Delta-Marquette-Alger conservation district; and Conservation Officer Helmer Carlson of Munising.

The declaration of the plaintiffs has been filed with the circuit court clerk in Alger county, and summons to the defendants are now being served.

It is alleged in the declarations that are similar except for the alleged damages that on Nov. 5, 1945, the conservation officers confiscated gill nets whose total value was \$2,345 and asks a judgment against the defendants for that amount. It is charged that the property was taken to the damage of the plaintiffs.

Adair's declaration lists the property as 112 gill nets and 10 net

boxes valued at \$1,625; and Van Landschoot lists 83 nets valued at \$720.

The nets were confiscated by the conservation department under a law passed by the state legislature designed to standardize the sizes of gill nets used by commercial fishermen in Michigan waters. Under the law more than 600,000 feet of under-size gill nets were withdrawn from use by commercial fishermen. Of this state total, about 180,000 feet of nets were withdrawn by fishermen in the Delta-Marquette-Alger district.

There were no prosecutions for use of the illegal nets, although the law had been in effect but not enforced during wartime. Decision to enforce the law following the end of the war brought warnings which were observed by the majority of the fishermen following inspection of the nets by conservation officers.

In the case of Adair and Van Landschoot, the conservation department has instituted condemnation proceedings against the nets which have been impounded. Most of the nets were released voluntarily last fall and condemnation proceedings were unnecessary.

The civil suit of the two fishermen against the four conservation personnel may be heard at the next term of Alger county circuit court which convenes March 25.

## Rock

Rock, Mich.—The Rock Union Ladies' Aid held its regular meeting Thursday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Gerald Bowen at Escanaba. It was decided to hold the Annual Bazaar at the Rock Town Hall on the evening of March 21st. The ladies have prepared a large number of aprons and other hand made articles for this occasion.

Among the recently discharged men are Bernard Aho, son of Mrs. Mary Aho of Ewing, and Elmer Oja also of Ewing.

Capt. Emil Tervo, Chaplain U. S. Army was guest speaker at the Finnish Lutheran church on Sunday evening, Feb. 17. Rev. Tervo is on furlough having recently returned from Japan and is awaiting discharge.

Mrs. John Pokela and Leo Kulki spent last week in Lansing on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Mustonen are spending several days in Lansing, Detroit and other points on business.

**School News**  
 The honor roll of the Rock grade school follows:

**Scholastic**  
 First Grade—Judith Halmeoja, Carl Kangas, Russell Lampinen, Terrance Pokela, Nancy Saari, Patricia Vandenbusche.  
 Second Grade—Bonnie Kanerva, Donna Toika, Verna Norman, Joyce Aalto, Kenneth Endberg, Gloria Franklin.

Third grade—Howard Aalto, Mary Lou Franklin, Helen Hallinen, David Harju, Elaine LaChapelle, Patsy Lusardi, Roger Ramseth, Kenneth Korvela, Gerald Saari, Duane Vandenbusche, Francis Verbrigghe, Gilbert Walimaa, Richard Staudinger.

Fourth Grade—Carol Englund, Nancy Harju, Doris Hill, Joanne Kangas, Leslie Koski, Tauno Peltto, Patsy Rindar, Kenneth Rogers, Gloria Saari, Mary Salmi.

Fifth Grade—Thora Hanson, Mary Cornell, Thelma Lusardi, Melvin Manty, Betty DeBacker, Jeanne Harju, Betty Nynas, Gayle Ramseth.

Sixth Grade—Nancy Koski, Barbara Nelson, Patsy Seppala, Norma Seppanen.

**Perfect Attendance**  
 First, Second and Third grade—Mathias Verbrigghe, Dennis LaFave, Kenneth Endberg, Ralph LeClaire, Vernon Norman, Edwin Seger, Howard Aalto, Helen Hallinen, Elaine LaChapelle, Rita Lippens, Patsy Lusardi, Roger Ramseth, Duane Vandenbusche, Francis Verbrigghe.

Fourth, Fifth and Sixth Grade—Marlene Lehto, Marvin Norman, Roger Pellinen, Tauno Peltto, Hazel Reimer, Patsy Rindar, Lucille Sperry, Sylvia Salmi, Doris Seppanen, Bernice Lippens, Melvin Manty, Thelma Lusardi, Jane DeBacker, Elaine Jyrkela, Richard LaChapelle, Donna LeClaire, Germaine Lippens, Betty Nynas, Viola Bakka, Ronnie Kaminen, Lowell LaFave, Virginia Moen, Barbara Nelson, Donald Seppanen, Norma Seppanen, Ronald Ekquist.

## Rotary Observes 41st Anniversary

The Escanaba Rotary club yesterday enjoyed a special program commemorating the 41st birthday anniversary of Rotary International. The program included an address by Edward Edick, and songs by the Escanaba high school capella choir directed by Miss Jessie Wick.

"The rapid spread of Rotary during the past 41 years is ample proof that the rock upon which it is founded is sound," Edick said. "Shortly after Rotary was organized it became international and in a few short years spread throughout the world, until now it has more than 5,000 clubs and over a quarter of a million members. It embraces all races, colors and creeds."

"The founders of Rotary little dreamed that their simple recipe for building a better community would become world-wide in scope."

"Like that small group of men who met in Chicago in the spirit of fellowship in order to gain a better understanding of each other's problems; the entire world seemed hungry and waiting for the same opportunity on an international level."

The choir, composed of about 70 voices, opened its concert with "Happy Birthday" in honor of Rotary's anniversary. Their group of songs included "To Thee I Sing," "The Blind Pilgrim," "Cherubim Song," and "Fireflies."

## Dr. William Carlson Of Ironwood Named Delaware U. Head

Ironwood—Dr. William S. Carlson, formerly of Ironwood and son of Mrs. Samuel Carlson, 117 Luxmore street, has been appointed president of the University of Delaware, according to word received here today. The appointment was effective this week.

Before accepting the presidency of the Delaware institute he had been dean of admissions and records at the University of Minnesota, a post he held since his discharge from the army. He had been working in that department at the Minnesota college for the past 10 years.

While attending the University of Michigan, he received national recognition for leading two geological survey expeditions to Greenland sponsored by the university. He is the author of a book, "Greenland Lies North."

A graduate of the Ironwood schools, he instructed in the Wakefield, Ironwood and Lansing school systems at various times. He held the rank of colonel in the army, stationed at Orlando, Florida.

Dr. Carlson is married to the former Miss Mary Jane Rowe of this city. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rowe, 120 South Suffolk street. They have one daughter, Mary Kristin.

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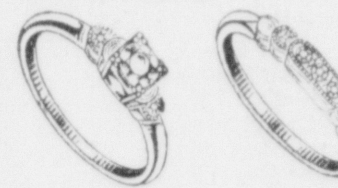
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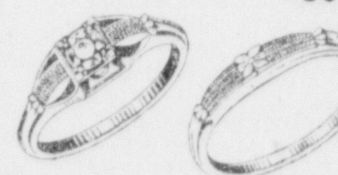


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## MEET TONIGHT FOR RED CROSS

Township Workers Hold Pre-drive Session At 7 O'clock

The 1946 Red Cross drive to raise \$25,000 in Delta county, which officially opens for general public contribution March 1, is so far receiving very splendid support, Thaxter Shaw, treasurer, reported late yesterday.

Returns from early solicitation from industry, civic and fraternal organizations and some individuals reveals that contribution are running about the same as last year when Delta County subscribed approximately \$2,000 over its \$37,900 county quota.

Contributions have already been received from industry and individuals in Bark River, Ford River and Wells townships and Gladstone and Escanaba, Shaw said. Industry is well on the way to raising their \$7,000 share of the quota, he stated.

Complete figures were not available last night as to the total amount received to date from all sources, Shaw reported.

The meeting for township chairman and their workers will be held tonight at the Sherman Hotel beginning at 7 o'clock with a "kick-off" pep session prior to the canvass for funds in the townships March 1, when over 350 solicitors will be out contacting every home in their areas, John LaMotte, general township chairman, said yesterday.

## PICKED AS TIME BASE

Greenwich Royal Observatory was founded in 1675 for the purpose of improving navigation. It soon became the time base for England and some other countries, and, in 1884, representatives of 26 countries met in Washington to make it the base for the beginning of the astronomical day for the world.

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## Teachers In Delta Receive Average Of \$1,646 In Salaries

Teachers in Delta county schools receive an average annual salary of \$1,646. Highest average in the U. P. is the \$2,026 annually paid in Luce county.

These figures were disclosed in a report on salaries paid county teachers in the peninsula, prepared by the State Department of Public Instruction in Lansing. Luce (Newberry) county leads the U. P. with an average county teacher salary of \$2,026. Gogebic is second with \$1,725, while Delta and Marquette are tied for third place, the average there being \$1,646.

Luce is the only county in the upper peninsula in the highest bracket; seven are in the second range; six in the \$1,300-\$1,500 scale; and one less than \$1,300. Wayne (Detroit) county, with a \$2,906 average, pays the highest salaries.

Fifteen lower Michigan counties are in the top class; 28 in the \$1,500-\$1,800 range; 19 in the \$1,300-\$1,500 group and five in the lowest class.

Upper peninsula counties with their average salary listed, are: Luce, \$2,026; Gogebic, \$1,725; Marquette, \$1,646; Delta, \$1,646; Schoolcraft, \$1,645; Chippewa, \$1,628; Iron, \$1,563; Alger, \$1,646; Baraga, \$1,479; Dickinson, \$1,455; Keweenaw, \$1,439; Menominee, \$1,423; Ontonagon, \$1,421; Mackinac, \$1,337; Houghton, \$1,287.

In addition to Wayne, there are three other lower Michigan counties topping the \$2,000 mark. They are Bay, \$2,097; Kalamazoo, \$2,035 and Oakland, \$2,012.

Other counties with salary ranges averaging \$1,800 or better, are Monroe, Calhoun, Jackson, Washtenaw, Ingham, Macomb, St. Clair, Genesee, Kent, Muskegon and Saginaw.

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### Demand for Land

THAT postwar dream of a piece of land along some lake or stream for a hunting and fishing cabin is being realized by many Michigan citizens.  
Water frontage property, suitable for recreational purposes, has been in big demand for some years. Even cutover tracts, removed from water, are also being grabbed up for private hunting preserves. Prices have mounted considerably, and those who bought property are being repaid for holding land and paying taxes on it for several years.  
State land auctions are always well attended by bargain hunters these days, but most of them go away disappointed because choice sites are now all in private hands. What this indicates is that many people are preparing to enjoy themselves in this postwar period, and as a result this northern Michigan region will enjoy a heavy influx of hunters, fishermen and vacationists during most seasons of the year.  
The recreation business is quite certain to be what all the enthusiastic prophets claim it will be.

### Kelly in Race

APPARENTLY believing that his surname is a good vote-getter, Raymond J. Kelly of Detroit has announced he will seek the Republican nomination for governor in view of the fact that present chief executive of Michigan, Harry F. Kelly, has indicated he will not be a candidate for reelection.

The Detroit man's career parallels Governor Kelly's in many respects. Both are graduates of Notre Dame university, have practiced law in Detroit and have been prominent in American Legion affairs.

There will be many Michigan voters who will be casting their ballots for Raymond J. Kelly on the assumption they are voting for Gov. Harry F. Kelly. A familiar name is always an asset in politics.

### Bennett to Run

NOT wholly unexpected was the announcement by Atty. John B. Bennett, former congressman, that he would again seek the Republican nomination for member of the house of representatives from the Twelfth congressional district.

His nomination is assured for it is unlikely that any strong candidate will oppose him in the Republican primary. In the November election, he will likely have to defeat Rep. Frank Hook, Democrat of Ironwood, who nosed out Bennett in the 1944 election by a narrow margin of 908 votes.

Bennett was a strong candidate in 1944, nevertheless, for Governor Dewey lost the district by nearly 10,000 votes. His chances are much better in 1946 for it will be recalled that in the off-year election in 1942 he defeated How by about 3,600 votes. Democratic sentiment is waning in various districts, and the political weather vane indicate Hook will have a tough time in the November election. This may explain why the Twelfth district congressman has been pulling whatever strings at his command to secure the appointment to the federal bench, vacated by the death of Judge Fred M. Raymond of Grand Rapids.

### Smiles and Adversities

DETROIT newspapers have been devoting interesting and inspiring feature stories to Clarence J. St. Vincent, paralyzed since he broke his neck when he dived into shallow water near Norway about ten years ago.

St. Vincent is a confirmed optimist. Although he has had to lie in bed, encased in a steel brace, he keeps smiling. He also has conducted a sales agency in Detroit, operating from his home with telephone and typewriter.

For years, St. Vincent has wanted an automobile he could drive himself. Recently, he was given a high priority to buy a new sedan, equipped with a special automatic shift for physically handicapped persons. And now, he plans to go into business for himself. He will move to Escanaba on April 1 to open a sporting goods store and also assist his father in the building of log cabin lodges.

St. Vincent says his wishes always come true. His latest wish is to find a house in Escanaba, and he is busily engaged on his typewriter in Detroit. And he'll find one.

While many able-bodied persons complain and worry about little things, St. Vincent just keeps smiling—and plugging away at his objective. Escanaba should welcome him with a smile.

### More Labor Strife

ANOTHER period of wrangling for labor supremacy and the inevitable wave of jurisdictional strikes is shaping up, as John L. Lewis, the man who founded the CIO in 1935, returns to the ranks of the American Federation of Labor.

Lewis was the predominant factor in the labor jurisdictional warfare of recent years as he led the CIO in its early battles against the AFL. Eventually Lewis became involved in a feud within his own

CIO group and finally lost supremacy of that organization so he took his powerful United Mine Workers union out of the CIO and back into the AFL.

The militant boss of the miners is preparing a new campaign to wean back into the AFL fold many of the groups that he had recruited for the CIO. The result, of course, will be more jurisdictional strife of the kind that characterized the late 1930's.

The jurisdictional strike is the curse of modern industry because plants are closed, not because of grievances between the employers and employees, but because of the struggle for labor supremacy within the affected plants.

If the pattern that was developed when the CIO, under Lewis, was carving its initial niche in labor unionism, is to be the pattern for the new effort by Lewis to return these labor groups to the AFL, the future outlook for labor peace is not at all bright.

## Other Editorial Comments

### AGE IN CONGRESS

(Washington Post)

Without attempting to draw any hard and fast lines as to the age at which legislators should retire, we think that the public will applaud the decision of Senator Hart not to run for a six-year senatorial term at the age of 69. Senator Green was quick to point out that fading powers are not merely a matter of age. Some men are too old for vigorous work at 50; others may stand up under it at 75.

The fact remains that Congress has too many men of advanced age in key positions. The tendency for men to cling to legislative posts beyond the period of full capacity seems to be much stronger than the tendency to quit too soon.

There is further difficulty in the fact that the seniority rule frequently places or retains men of advanced years in key positions. The burden of a major chairmanship is heavier than a man of 75 or 80 years can reasonably be expected to carry. Yet men who wish to remain in Congress are reluctant to give up chairmanships to which they are entitled under the rules. For this reason it may be hoped that the La Follette-Monroney committee on the organization of Congress will bring in a recommendation to relieve legislators of their chairmanships at a fixed age, say 70 years. Former chairmen would thus assume the role of elder statesmen with relief from administrative details but without substantial loss of prestige.

### AIR LANE ACCIDENTS

(Sault Ste. Marie News)

It is to be hoped that the unfortunate death of William J. Smith of Escanaba in an airplane crash on ice of Whitefish Bay will prove no deterrent to flying progress here.

The Escanaba flier, en route to the Sault, was presumably caught in a storm. Gliding down to get his bearings, he was apparently unable to discern sky from white snow covering the ice. His altimeter calibrated for Escanaba altitude possibly betrayed him.

In Sault Ste. Marie it is almost a religion with instructors to insist on student pilots avoiding storm areas. They are taught above all things to be on the safe side at all times when in the sky.

No one will probably ever know just what happened in the case of the Escanaba flier. However, his death will serve to emphasize the urgency of the safety factor so insistently drummed into the ears of local students by Volney Lutz.

### FOR SAFER RAIL CROSSINGS

(Detroit Free Press)

The measures now before the Common Council, designed to end railroad crossing accidents in Detroit, should be effective. They will not work, however, if they are permitted to languish in committee as similar ordinances have been allowed to do in the past.

One proposal calls for an appropriation of at least \$200,000 to install safety devices at unprotected crossings. Another is a proposed law limiting train speeds to ten miles per hour along street-level rights of way where crossings are not protected.

Enactment of the speed law, as Councilman Lodge points out, would have the effect of making the railroads willing to increase their share of the cost of providing safety devices.

Certainly the railroads must share the responsibility for helping to eliminate such tragic accidents as that which Sunday cost four lives at the Nevada-Grand Trunk crossing. The present law assesses only 15 per cent of the cost of safety devices against the railroads. This seems to be an inadequate ratio, and may be the reason that more grade separations, the most effective of all safety devices, have not been installed.

## Take My Word For it

Frank Colby

### ACCENTUATE THE ACCENT

English, particularly American English, is composed almost entirely of words borrowed from the other languages of the world. Therefore, the question of where to place the accent cannot be decided by any system of hard-and-fast rules. For this reason, the foreigner finds the pronunciation of English to be altogether maddening. He learns, to his despair, that almost every word must be learned by itself.

Pronouncing unfamiliar words "by ear" inevitably leads to embarrassing errors, as in the case of a Frenchman who recently spoke at a Town Meeting broadcast. His written English (prepared speech) was above reproach; but his spoken English was so full of misplaced accents that one could scarcely follow him. For example, "dif-FIC-ulty" for difficulty.

We Americans run into the same "dif-FIC-ulty" when we trust to our ears instead of going to a dictionary for the pronunciation of new or unfamiliar words. Reporters and war correspondents who

## World Events Analyzed

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

Washington — The difficulty President Truman has had in naming a successor to Harold L. Ickes in the department of the interior illustrates the problem in political geometry which grows out of the split within the Democratic party.

You have to try, in the President's position, to satisfy the two wings of the party. On both sides of this political chasm there is jealousy and suspicion.

The conservative branch, which has as its core the old South, was delighted to see Ickes go. They want him replaced by one of their own kind or, at any rate, by a neutral figure who cannot be tagged as a New Dealer.

In the other wing they are insistent on a 10-carat liberal. Nothing less will do as a successor to Ickes, who spoke for labor in the administration.

This is one reason for the move to draft Justice William O. Douglas for the vacancy. But Douglas has been reluctant to leave the supreme court—and with good reason.

—SENATORS CONSIDERED—

Chief Justice Stone has frequently said, both in public and in private, that men who go on the court should consecrate their lives to the task. It is unsettling to the work of the court to take a man who has served a few years and put him in another office. Douglas has had only six years on the court, which makes him, when you consider the terms of previous justices, a mere novitiate.

The senate has been carefully studied to find a successor to Ickes. The most likely candidate on Capitol Hill is Senator Joseph O'Mahoney of Wyoming.

But there are several reasons why O'Mahoney might be disqualified. For one thing, he comes up for re-election this fall in a race that is certain to be close. Perhaps no other available Democrat could win in Wyoming. And Truman is likely to need all the votes he can get in the senate during the next two critical years.

If all this political weighing and balancing could be ignored, there is a choice for the post that would admirably further the cause of good government. Acting Secretary of the Interior Oscar L. Chapman, as assistant secretary, has served in the department as long as Ickes.

—CHAPMAN IS LIBERAL—  
Chapman, who comes from Colorado, knows all there is to know about the problems of conservation and reclamation which are so important in the work of the interior department. He knows the inner workings of the department and his appointment would undoubtedly strengthen the morale of those who have seen their old chief depart in a blaze of wrathful condemnation.

Moreover, Chapman is a real liberal who would be welcomed by the same forces that looked to Ickes for support. He has many friends in Congress who would back him.

In her new and highly readable story of behind-the-scenes Washington, Olive Clapper tells how Chapman originated the plan for the Marian Anderson concert on the steps of the Lincoln Memorial. This was after Miss Anderson had been refused by the D.A.R. The right to sing in Constitution Hall.

Chapman conceived the idea of a public concert on the mall which stretches between the Lincoln Memorial and the Washington monument. Attracting a vast crowd, it proved to be one of the most impressive occasions in the long and crowded history of the Capital.

In spite of the creaky, cumbersome workings of civil service, which sometimes seem to throttle initiative, good men come to the top in our government. An outstanding example is Daniel W. Bell, who did brilliant service in the treasury, rising to the post of under-secretary before he resigned to become president of a Washington bank.

But these capable and experienced men seem to be considered ineligible for the top jobs which go to the politicians. While Chapman's appointment was originally political, he has proved himself as a public servant.

To reward him with the No. 1 position in his department would encourage others in the government service. And, also, it would be for the President a declaration of political independence.

in recent years have branched out as newscasters and radio analysts, are especially prone to "dif-FIC-ulties" of accentuation, since, as writers, they use large vocabularies of words which they have never employ in speaking during their lifetimes.

For this reason, we hear formidable as "for-MID-able" (instead of: FOR-mid-able), applicable as "ap-PLIC-able" (instead of: AP-plicable), industry as "in-DUS-try" (instead of, IN-dustry), irreplaceable as "irre-PAR-able" (instead of ir-REP-arable), etc.

I am not on the payroll of any dictionary publishing house, nor do I share the prevalent American misbelief that the dictionary—a dictionary—is a sacred tongue containing the immutable Laws of Language. However, I do recognize the value of a recognized dictionary as a guide to good usage in speech and writing.

I recommend that my readers buy and learn to use a dictionary. There are several excellent desk-size dictionaries on the market. But beware of dictionaries that are offered as bargains, or given as premiums, or put out "in handy pocket size." Reputable publishers do not resort to any such catch-penny devices in order to dispose of their wares.

Whether to use WAS or WERE often stumps the experts. Which would you say: If he (were) was? you; if she (were) was? you; if I (were) was? you; if we (were) were? For simple, nongrammatical task, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Frank Colby, in care of this paper. Ask for WAS-WERE pamphlet.



Childs

## Little Chester, the Fire Warden



## Good Morning!

By The Bugler

LAW IS CLEAR —The Delta county board of supervisors has ignored its responsibility under the state dog licensing law, and it may have the sad experience of paying dog damage bills from the general fund instead of from the dog license fund. Or it may continue the hedging policy of passing the damage claims off on the townships.

The Michigan legislature years ago enacted a dog licensing law for the state which requires payment of a \$1 license fee on male dogs, a \$2 fee on female dogs. If these fees are not paid before March 1, they double.

Under the law the supervisors of each township are required to compile a list of all dogs in their township for license law enforcement purposes. That is the initial step. It has not been taken either this year or, so far as known, in any prior year.

AUDITORS REPORT —Each year the county board of supervisors is warned by examiners of the auditor general's department that it should, as individual supervisors, begin enforcement of the law. The reports make a considerable point of this evasion of responsibility.

"It is noted that no dog license fees are collected in this county," the examiners report.

"Your attention is again called to the provisions of Act 339 of the Public Acts of 1919 as amended. Under the provisions of Section 16 of the above mentioned act as amended by Act 79 of the Public Acts of 1933 it is required that the Supervisors of each township list all dogs in their township and Section 26 of said Act provides a penalty for non-enforcement.

"We respectfully request that the provisions of the above mentioned Act be enforced and that all dogs be listed and a license fee be collected as provided by the above statutes."

THE LAW HOLDS—If the Delta county board of supervisors is of the opinion that the law means nothing, it might look with considerable apprehension on a recent opinion of Circuit Judge Frank A. Bell of Neenah in a dog damage claim case in Menominee county. The Menominee Herald-Leader reports editorially:

"Circuit Judge Frank A. Bell ruled that the county pay the judgments to owners of sheep killed by dogs from the county general fund if no dog license funds were collected. Such claims, the state law specifies, are to be paid from dog license fees."

The state law, therefore, is clear on the subject; and the ruling by Judge Bell is equally plain. Claims for damage done by dogs must be paid from dog license fees. If the dog licensing law is not enforced, then the claims must be paid from the county general fund.

CAN BE DONE —In half-hearted discussion of the dog license law, Delta county supervisors have expressed the belief that the law is "unenforceable" (that it was impossible to expect a supervisor to list the dogs in his township for licensing purposes. Menominee county supervisors are proving that the law is not only enforceable, but that making a dog list for a township is not an impossible task. The Menominee supervisors began it one year ago, are making a recheck this spring—with Sun Albert Kipfer, chairman of the

## INTO THE PAST

10 Years Ago—1936

Manistique—Word has been received by friends here that Ardis Kennedy, formerly of Manistique, is now Sunday editor of the Chicago Tribune. Mr. Kennedy was formerly editor of the Pioneer-Tribune here.

Approval has been given to a WPA project for planting a cedar hedge along the fence of the Escanaba high school athletic field.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Brotherton, Jr., are the parents of a daughter weighing eight and one-half pounds, born Sunday, Feb. 23, in Detroit.

Escanaba's record of 24 consecutive zero and below-zero days terminated Sunday when the best the mercury could do was to drop down to ten degrees above zero.

Bill Karas, Escanaba boy, starred in the Michigan Tech-Northern State basketball game by making 12 points to bring Tech to victory Friday night.

20 Years Ago—1926

Iron Mountain — Iron Mountain voters yesterday rejected the proposed new municipal charter by a majority of 891 votes.

H. P. Bourke returned yesterday from Chicago, where he has been transacting business.

An eight pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Riedy, 318 North 18th street, early yesterday morning.

Escanaba made good progress yesterday in shoveling itself out of the snowdrifts piled in the streets by the severe snowstorm of Thursday. The Escanaba Traction company by keeping shovel crews at work all night opened the tracks to Groos and Gladstone and maintained service on schedule all day.

Gladstone—Mayor and Mrs. I. N. Bushong, who are spending the winter months in the south are enjoying their stay very much according to word received here yesterday. They are now in Honolulu on the Hawaiian Islands.

board, leading the way with his township.

ESCANABA DOES IT —In Escanaba each year the city police department conducts a drive for the licensing of dogs. It is fairly successful in controlling the dog population, especially since it is in conjunction with the annual summer "quarantine" when dogs must be confined or kept on leash during the gardening season.

There is also the annual "round-up" when city-hired dog catchers make the rounds with a dog wagon picking up stray canines. These are impounded and if the owner wants the animal released he must pay a fee. About 250 unwanted dogs are disposed of each year.

The license fees collected by the city on the sale of dog licenses are, so far as can be determined, retained by the city to cover a part of the cost of enforcement of the dog law. Under a county-wide dog law enforcement program, license funds collected in the city, together with those collected from the townships, would all go to the county.

THE DOG-GONE THING —However the public looks at the dog question in the cities and townships it is an annoying picture. Gardens and livestock and poultry destroyed or damaged, children injured—and all because there is no control over the dog population.

Governing bodies recognize they have a responsibility under the law. Claims for dog damage to livestock have been shuttled from the county board to the

## The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

Washington—On February 22, this column published certain facts regarding George Allen, newly appointed director of the RFC, and his insurance company connections which did Mr. Allen an injustice.



Pearson

It was stated that Mr. Allen was made vice president of the Home Insurance Company in 1938, at a time when the federal government was investigating the Missouri insurance scandal preparatory to convicting Kansas City Boss Tom Pendergast, lifelong friend of Harry Truman.

It was also stated that the fire insurance companies operating in Missouri had been forced to impound \$9,676,002 while the courts were threshing out the question of a new rate increase, and that by promising a bribe of \$750,000 to Boss Pendergast, the insurance companies were able to get 80 per cent of this nine-million-dollar kitty returned to them.

It was also stated that the Home Insurance Company, which made the delightful Mr. Allen its vice-president during the thick of the fight, had the heaviest amount at stake in the nine-million-dollar kitty. Although Pendergast was convicted about a year after Allen's appointment as vice-president, the fire insurance executives who bribed him were not convicted.

### —APOLIGIES TO GEORGE ALLEN—

Further facts in the case have now developed. And we apologize for this unintentional injustice done Mr. Allen. It is now learned that Mr. Allen not merely became vice president of the Home Insurance Company, but also vice-president of three other affiliated companies, all implicated in one of the worst pieces of graft in the history of American insurance.

Mr. Allen was also vice-president of the National Liberty Insurance Company of America, the Franklin National Insurance Company, and the City of New York Insurance Company—all of them participating in the Pendergast bribe, and all of them hiring George Allen as vice-president and secretary during the significant year 1938, just as the government was probing their racket.

All the above escaped conviction, though many people considered the insurance executives who bribed Pendergast just as guilty as the man who accepted the bribe.

The column takes this opportunity to rectify its previous slight to Mr. Allen's prowess as the champion American holder of vice presidencies and directorships—now a director of the RFC.

NOTE —The RFC has loaned millions to insurance companies in the past, also to railroads and other companies which, if they had failed, would have jeopardized the financial position of insurance companies. Allen frankly admits that he will try to serve two masters—that he will keep some of his corporate directorships while also serving as director of the RFC.

### —PORK AND CHILDREN—

When Henry Wallace stated that the school children of Washington, D. C., were worse fed than the hogs of Iowa, he probably didn't know about an unpublishable pork barrel maneuver which took place at the last session of Congress, by which school lunches were put to one side in favor of a new federal building in Nashville, Tenn.

The school lunch program was for the benefit of undernourished children throughout the country, not merely the District of Columbia. And while Congress chopped this fund in two, it approved a juicy pork barrel item for guess who — Senator McKellar of Tennessee, whose word is powerful as chairman of the Appropriations Committee.

The department of agriculture, which has charge of the program, needed an additional \$15,000,000 to continue school lunches through June 2, 1946. But, in a joint conference of Appropriations Committee members of the two houses, Senator McKellar, together with Representative Clarence Cannon of Missouri and other "economy" champions, pruned the \$15,000,000 to \$7,500,000.

Almost in the same breath, the conferees okayed a \$5,575,000 expenditure for the construction of a new federal building in Senator McKellar's home state to replace the old customs house at Nashville. McKellar contended that the structure was also needed to provide a regional headquarters for the Veterans Administration, but several congressmen suspect this is only window dressing.

Congressman John Taber of New York, ranking Republican of the House Appropriations Committee, is one of them. He described the McKellar project as "absolutely unnecessary."

"There is no more reason for a building at this point than there is at a thousand other places in the United States," Taber declared. "What we ought to do is put an embargo on buildings of this sort in order that the construction of dwellings and apartment houses may go forward for people without housing." Another member of the House Committee was even more explicit. "I like my pork cooked," he declared, "not raw."

Several thousand women's wear buyers gathered in Chicago. We hope they had better luck than the Mrs. has had.

Anger dies quickly with a good man — except when he's good and angry.

Tellers in a Minnesota town set up stands and served fried cakes and coffee to firemen who were battling a blaze in their bank. From dough to doughnuts.

Hearing yourself paged in a hotel makes you feel almost as important as you wish you were.

It's a smart person who has judgment enough to use his own.

township boards for payment, but it is doubtful if the township boards have the legal right to pay such claims for they have no fund for such purposes. Only legal payment appears to be from dog license fees collected by the county, and if there is no such fund then they must be paid from the general fund of the county.

—Clint Dunathan.



# Dearfree Company's Furniture Production Mounting Rapidly

## 80 PERSONS ON PAYROLL NOW

Further Increases Are Planned; Supplies Still Scarce

The Dearfree company, local furniture manufacturers, is proceeding satisfactorily towards its production goals after less than two months of operation in its new factory, Louis Wokosin, local manager, has reported.

At the present time the company is employing 80 workers in assembling, finishing and shipping its varied line of furniture items. This total will be stepped up later when materials are available in greater volume and when additional improvements required in the company's operation are completed.

A new boiler plant will be installed in the factory within the next few months as the present boiler capacity is inadequate for proper drying of stains and varnishes. An increase in air pressure for the operation of the spray booths and air pressure vices also is planned.

The company is now producing Hollywood beds, Jenny Lind and poster beds in ever-increasing volume, as well as clothes hampers and bookcases. Greatest production is concentrated in the company's line of Hollywood upholstered beds, for which the demand has been exceptionally heavy. Local officials reported that sufficient orders are already on hand to assure capacity production for the remainder of the year.

To speed production of the Hollywood beds, it is planned to install a power cutter at the local factory. The machine has been on order for some time and delivery is expected shortly. At present the patterns are cut at Oshkosh.

The Dearfree plant here is primarily an assembly and finishing factory. The furniture is not manufactured here from raw stock but the lumber is processed at dimension plants elsewhere according to specifications.

## Major Gerald Brown Returns From Berlin

Major Gerald Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Brown of Wells, arrived recently from Berlin, Germany, and is spending part of his terminal leave visiting his parents here. His wife, Dr. Bernice Brown, who has been teaching in the medical school at the University of Iowa at Iowa City, is also here.

Major Brown, who served in the Medical Corps for 47 months, returned to this country on Feb. 11, after serving overseas for 21 months. He was Chief of Surgery at the 101st general hospital in Berlin. At the conclusion of his terminal leave on May 31, Major Brown will return to private practice at Grand Forks, N. D.

Colds are said to cost Great Britain \$30,000,000 annually in working time.

## 1946 INCOME TAX PRIMER



## WHAT'S DEDUCTIBLE?

**A. TAXES:** State income, some property, auto license, state gasoline tax in about 40 states, some federal taxes incurred in carrying on a business.

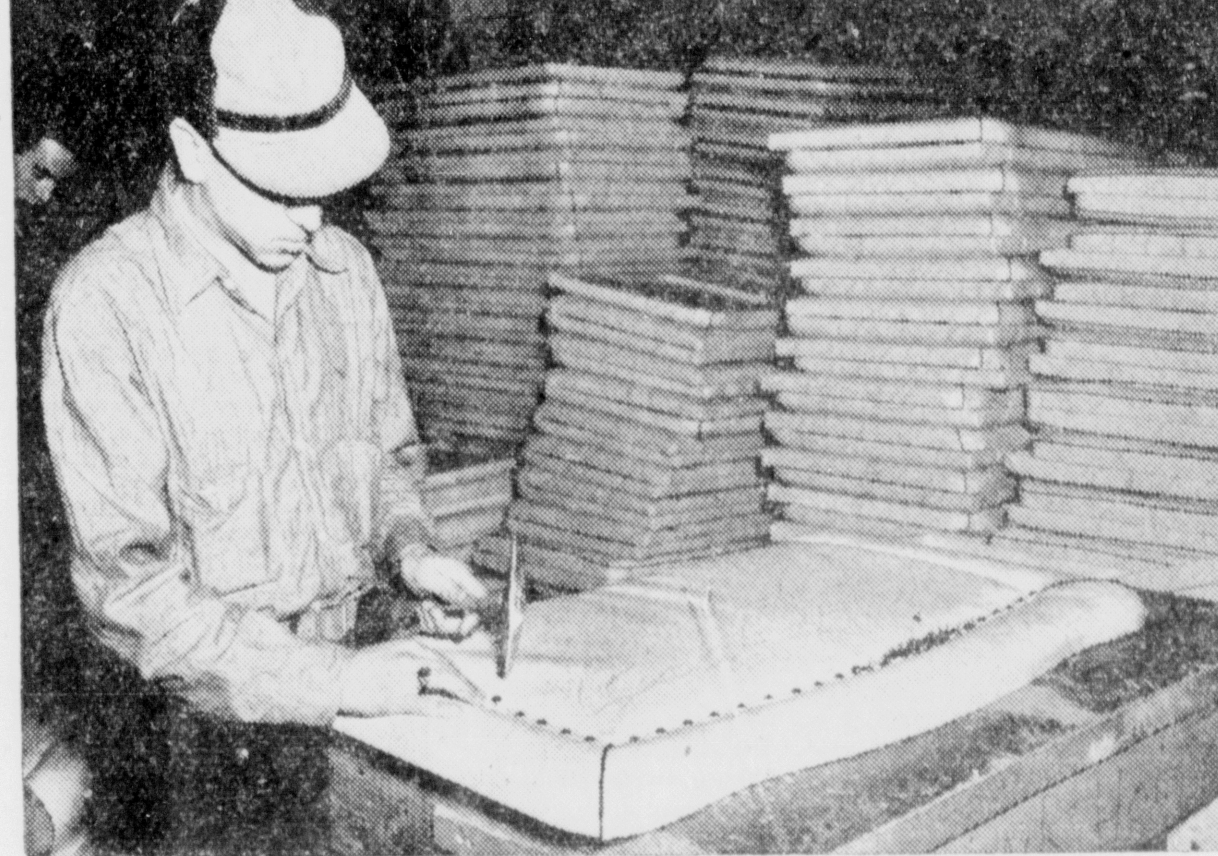
**B. INTEREST PAYMENTS:** On personal loans, home mortgage, installment purchases.

**C. CONTRIBUTIONS:** To non-profit, charitable, religious, education or scientific groups. (Political contributions are not included).

**Vic Flint**



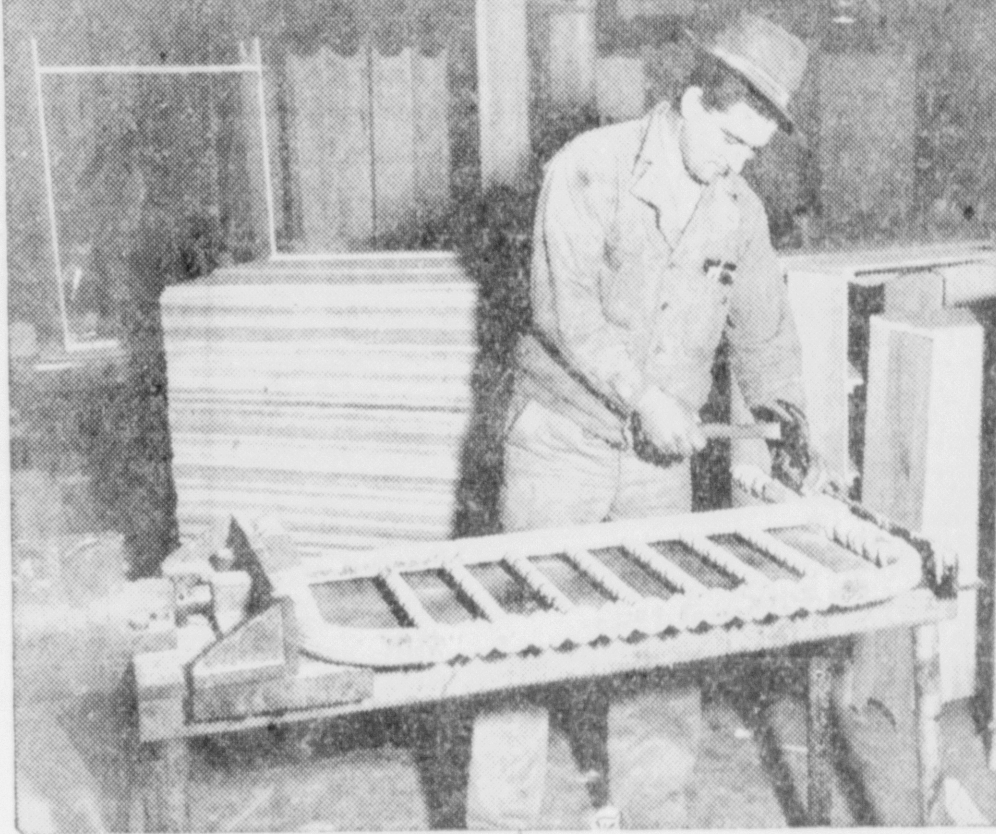
**SEAMSTRESS**—Ruth Norden is sewing the simulated leather fabric for the Hollywood beds at the Dearfree plant. At present the fabric is cut to pattern at Oshkosh but a power cutter will be installed in the local factory soon.



**TACKING**—Antique type nails are used for effectiveness in finishing the Hollywood bed ends. Carl Deiter shows here how it's done and how the bed end looks when completed. Hundreds of beds of this kind have been produced at the local plant in the past several weeks but delivery has been held up awaiting the legs, material for which has been scarce.



**CLOTHES HAMPER**—A popular furniture item manufactured by the Dearfree Company is its line of clothes hampers, made in several sizes. Joe Bartel, Jr., and Joe Vucson are tacking the fiber covering to the hamper frame in this picture. The hampers later are sprayed a glistening white and covers of various colors are used.



**JENNY LIND BED**—A bed design that has been popular for years and still is much in demand is the Jenny Lind bed. Steve Vucson, foreman of the assembly department at Dearfree, shows how the bed ends are clamped in an air pressure vice for gluing and nailing.

## USS WILMETTE WILL BE SOLD

Naval Training Vessel Was Formerly The Eastland

The U. S. S. Wilmette, naval reserve training ship which visited Escanaba several times before the war, has been advertised for sale by the U. S. Maritime commission.

Inarticulate now and locked securely in the ice alongside the Atlantic, German submarines were lurking off the Carolinas, and armed guard crews had to be trained to man ships of the merchant marine. Hundreds of them were graduated from the Wilmette.

Then Pearl Harbor, and gunners had to be trained for both merchantment and men-o-war in both the Atlantic and Pacific.

Send U-Boat to Bottom.

Twenty-five years ago the Wilmette had a chance at a real submarine—and sank it. It was in 1921, when the Navy sent a German U-boat, trophy of World War I, to the Great Lakes for exhibition and eventual destruction. Two passes and 16 rounds from her four guns, a few miles off the Great Lakes Naval Training Center, and the Wilmette had her first "kill." The U-boat, riddled with 14 hits, plunged to the bottom of the lake.

The biggest thing that ever happened to the Wilmette, though, occurred before she got her Navy commission pennant.

That was on the morning of July 24, 1915, when as an excursion boat under her maiden name,

## Faith And Frankness Are Chief Need Today

By MARJORIE VAN DE WATER

Washington—"We have nothing to fear, but fear itself." That statement is as true today of disturbed international scene as it was when Franklin D. Roosevelt voiced it during the dark days of America's great depression.

It applies just as well to a world racing toward atomic warfare as it does to a nation tasting the depths of economic despair. Fear is the basis for many social ills. Fear causes runs on banks and panicky boarding of secret weapons. Fear of loss of jobs causes discrimination against foreigners, Jews, Negroes, non-veterans, women, the old, the young, and anyone other than ourselves. Fear of loss of power causes dictators to kill without mercy.

Fear causes suspicion, suspicion causes hatred. Hatred, fear and suspicion lead to war. And war—if it is to be atomic warfare—can mean only mutual defeat, death and utter destruction.

In the present situation of espionage scares in Canada, accusations by Russia of British diplomatic failure, an anti-Soviet campaign in Canada and allegations that the United States has been victimized by Russian spies, what is needed is not to match suspicion, but to banish fear and to build up with vigor and enthusiasm a basis for mutual trust and cooperation.

It has been suggested that the \$2,000,000,000 spent to develop the atomic bomb be matched with another \$2,000,000,000 devoted to study of man's aggression and how to prevent it. It wouldn't be a bad idea.

But meantime, psychologists already know much that could be immediately applied to brake our rush down the road to self-destruction. Here are some of the facts well-known in the psychology laboratory:

1. The most dangerous man in the world is the man driven to desperation by paranoid fears. In every shadow he sees a threat; in every rustle he hears hostile voices; constantly he is ready for instant, nervous revenge which he sincerely believes to be self-defense.

2. The time to allay fears is before they develop into a rigid system of paranoid ideas.

3. The only antidote for fear is a feeling of perfect trust and confidence based on unwavering honesty, frankness and consistency of dealing. Man has a natural fear of the unknown. Secrets are worse than openly expressed hostility for breeding fear and suspicion. If a man tells us frankly that he disagrees with us or that he does not like us, we may resent it, but we nevertheless have respect. If he pretends to be our friend, but behind our backs buys a shotgun to attack us, we are not only angry but afraid of him.

4. Fears cannot be removed by reassuring speeches while the danger persists. Men are influenced by facts, not by preaching.

5. If the United States persists in manufacturing atomic bombs that are jealously kept secret from enemy, friend and ally alike, we can be sure that other nations will

fear us and be hostile toward us.

6. If the United States permits other nations to believe that we are engaged in making agreements with some at the expense of others or that we plan independent action unknown in advance to other friendly nations, we can be sure that distrust of us will grow in other nations.

7. Fear is one parent of hostility; deprivation is the other. Throughout the whole world today, men have suffered deprivation as they have never suffered before. The world is hungry—for food and for all those good things that nourish soul as well as body. Men and women have lost homes, jobs, loved ones, the chance to have children, personal liberty, ability to think as they wish and express themselves freely. They have lost old customs that made life seem secure.

The remedies:

1. Alleviation of fear through avoiding any act or plan that might be construed as hostile and through honest and consistent dealing without reserve or secrecy.

2. Alleviation of deprivation through whatever economic measures may be possible to relieve distress wherever it exists.

3. Earnest study with other nations of mutual problems and shared interests so that by being a sincere friend we may make friends.

## Simmonds' Disease Treatment Proves To Be Beneficial

San Francisco—The successful treatment of a patient suffering from Simmonds' disease, restoring general health, has been accomplished for a second time at the University of California Medical School by the administration of a sex hormone under the tongue.

Small, soluble tablets containing the hormone, testosterone, were placed under the 28-year-old male patient's tongue at intervals over a period of nine months, after other treatments had failed. He was restored to mental and physical vigor, and he married, gained weight and resumed an arduous occupation.

The patient had suffered from disease, which had been brought on by severe injuries incurred in a motorcycle accident, for eight years.

There are few recorded cases of the successful treatment of true Simmonds' disease, which is rare and is brought on by more or less complete destruction of the pituitary gland, especially the anterior lobe.

Seventy-four thousand turns of wire, smaller than a strand of human hair, are used on certain coils for telephone switchboard relays.

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## FAYETTE HARBOR LIGHT PROPOSED

Green Bay Yachtsmen To Ask Coast Guard For Navigation Aid

Members of the Escanaba Yacht Club attending the annual meeting of the Green Bay Yacht Racing committee at Green Bay Sunday proposed the establishment of a light at the Fayette harbor entrance on Big Bay de Noc, which will be combined with other recommendations for navigation aids on Green Bay and submitted to the U. S. Coast Guard at the division office in Cleveland.

Don DeWitt of Oconto, chairman of the committee, assured the yachtsmen that he would personally direct the attention of the Coast Guard to the need for the improvements.

Attending the meeting from Escanaba were Commodore Art Fillion of the local Yacht Club, C. W. Stoll, John J. Mitchell, Edward Erickson and John G. Erickson.

About 50 yachtsmen, delegates from seven yacht clubs on Green Bay, were present at the meeting. The clubs represented were Escanaba, Green Bay, Ephraim, Fish Creek, Oconto, Menominee and Marinette, and Sturgeon Bay.

Principal purpose of the meeting was to establish a racing schedule for Green Bay yachtsmen for the coming season. The schedule is to be announced after it has been approved by the individual clubs.

## Bradley Proposes Barring Canadian Ore-Laden Vessels

Repeal of a law that permits vessels of Canadian registry to transport iron ore between United States ports on the Great Lakes is asked by Rep. Bradley (R-Mich.).

He said he joined in sponsoring the law as a wartime measure but that it no longer is needed and should be erased because of the lower operating cost of the Canadian ships.

His repeal bill has been referred to the Merchant Marine Committee, of which he is a member, and he said he anticipates its early approval.

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## Writer Blasts At "Road Hunting" As Threat To Birds

By GEORGE RINTAMAKI

Newberry—Unless immediate legislative action is taken to curb road hunting, Michigan game, especially upland birds, such as grouse and pheasant, will continue to suffer seriously, warns Kendrick Kimball, president of the Michigan Outdoor Writers' Association.

This form of hunting, where the people simply cruise along country roads in their cars, stopping and shooting from the road whenever they see a bird or rabbit, has taken an alarmingly heavy toll of the southern Michigan pheasant population, Kimball asserts.

"There are many states which have a law prohibiting road hunting and they are successfully enforced," Kimball reports. "In Washington and Oregon, for instance, the law reads: It is unlawful to shoot a firearm from or across any public road, highway or railroad right of way." Sportsmen in these states have proven cooperative and there are very few violations of the law.

Kimball believes that this is largely a matter of breaking a bad habit in Michigan and once a law prohibiting such a practice is placed into effect, all good sportsmen will readily abide by it.

## Seney

Seney, Mich.—Guy Boonenberg has received his discharge from the army and arrived home last week.

Mrs. William Smith is a patient in the Newberry Clinic suffering from an infection in her foot. Mrs. Charles Smith is substituting at school for her.

Mrs. Wallace Ward was dismissed from the Newberry Clinic and is spending a few days here before leaving for Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lloyd from Manistique were Seney callers Sunday.

Egbert Mitchell has received his discharge from the Army and arrived home last week.

Ernest Tovey was injured quite severely when he was caught between his garage doors and Touge's truck as they were preparing to unload freight. He was taken to the Newberry Clinic and treated for chest injuries.

Several from here attended the basketball game at Garden Friday evening between Garden and Grand Marais.

## SNOW REPORTED BY WEATHERMAN

1945-46 Winter Snowfall Way Under Season Average

Henry E. Hathaway head of the local weather bureau reported yesterday we can expect cloudy weather today with light snow accumulating to about three inches. It will get colder this afternoon and much colder tonight.

This three inches of snow expected today, added to the height of the snow drift outside your door as of yesterday afternoon will make the snowdrift 10 inches high.

Snowfall of the winter months of 1945-46 is reported as follows:

October—	1
November—	3.9
December—	5.5
January 14.9	
February 3.25	
Total of 32.65 inches so far this winter.	

January had the record snowfall with almost 15 inches. Five and a half inches of snow fell Jan. 14 with five inches of snow falling Jan. 30th. A little over an inch of snow on Jan. 20 and Jan. 31.

Heaviest snowfall of a 24 hour period in February was on Tuesday Feb. 19 when three inches were recorded. This was a light snow however, and did not swell the snowbanks to any great extent.

Mr. Hathaway stated yesterday the average snowfall for a winter in Escanaba is considered as 56.9 inches.

## CROWNED HIMSELF

King Kalakaua, who ruled Hawaii from 1874 to 1891, had his coronation nine years after he became king. He heard of the elaborate coronations of European kings and decided to have one himself. He ordered two \$5000 crowns and, in imitation of Charlemagne, placed a crown upon his own head.

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Benefits paid since Organization	\$1,800,672,431
Benefits paid in 1945	\$90,226,067
Assurances in force	\$3,390,372,327
New Assurances in 1945	\$241,409,819

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## SOCIETY

Mission Opens At  
St. Ann's Church

The mission at St. Ann church opened on Sunday with Rev. Fr. Daniel Maher, C. P., presiding at the 7:30 o'clock evening services. Father, Maher, who arrived Friday from Louisville, Ky., and Rev. F. Gerard Berry, C. P., gave sermons at the opening services. Father Berry arrived Saturday from Birmingham, Ala. All of the Catholic clergy of the city attended the services Sunday evening.

The mission will continue throughout the week with special services at 6 and 8 o'clock each morning and at 7:30 each evening. The children's mission also opened yesterday and will continue this morning and Wednesday morning, with special services at 11 o'clock.

Alphonse Gagnier  
Weds Detroit Girl

At a wedding of interest here which took place at the Annunciation church of Detroit on Feb. 9, Miss Shirley Ochs of that city became the bride of M/Sgt Alphonse Gagnier, son of Mrs. Eugene Gagnier of Escanaba.

For her wedding, the bride wore a white wool suit trimmed with reptile, and a cluster of flowers in her hair. She was attended by her sister, Miss Joan Ochs, who wore a blue wool suit and flowers in her hair. John Ryan of Detroit was best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception and dinner for friends and relatives was held at the Hotel Frontenac. The couple left later for a wedding trip to Canada, Upper Michigan and Chicago.

## Social - Club

## Camp Fire Girls

The Tandakago Camp Fire Girls will hold a sleighride party this evening. All members are asked to report at the recreation center at 6:35 p. m.

The party will be in charge of

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larsen of Escanaba are the parents of a son, born Feb. 23 at the Milwaukee Maternity Pavilion. The baby, who weighed eight pounds and three ounces at birth, has been named Garry Martin. Mrs. Larsen is the former Gayle Kelly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Kelly, 711 South 14th street. Mr. Larsen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Larsen of Iron Mountain. The baby is the only grandchild in the two families.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lehigh, 211 North 14th street, are the parents of twins, born Sunday at St. Francis hospital. The girl has been named Lana Marie and the boy, Terence Glenn. Mrs. Lehigh is the former June Pearson of Wells.

## Church Events

## Mary Reese Circle

Mary Reese Circle of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fredolph Johnson, 420 South 13th street. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. John Frechette and Mrs. Arthur Kamrath.

## Salem Ladies Aid

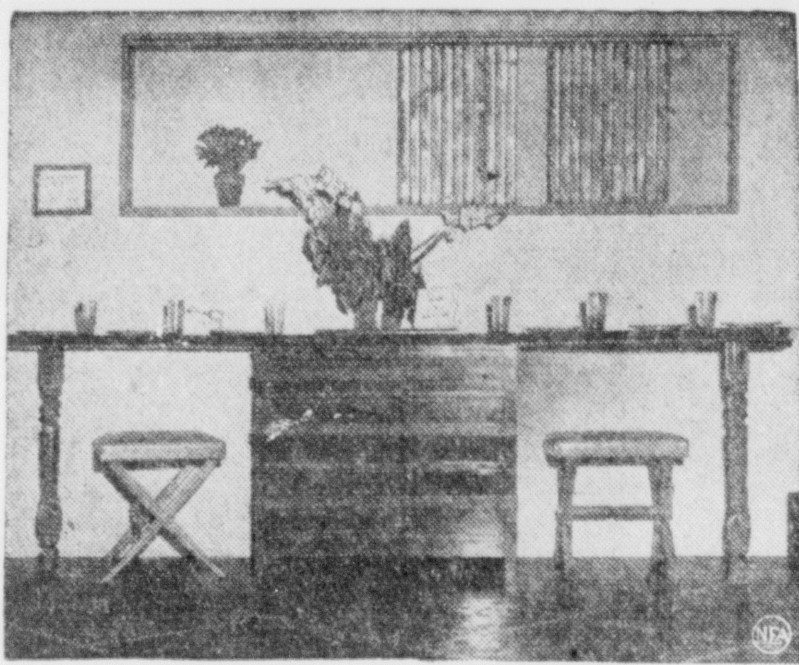
The Ladies Aid of the Salem Evangelical church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlors. Hostesses are Mrs. William Beyersdorf, Mrs. George Champleny, Mrs. Louis Flath, and Mrs. Ernest Flath. All members and friends are cordially invited.

## Youth Fellowship Meets

The Methodist Youth Fellowship of Central Methodist church will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The Misses Patricia and Joan Frasher are hostesses.

Bulbs will give better light if washed with a soapy cloth once a week.

Miss Naomi Vinette, guardian, and Loretta Derusha, assistant. After the ride, lunch will be served at the home of Joan Stratton.

Combination Buffet and Table  
Is Attractive And Easy To Make

(Courtesy Sherwin-Williams.)

## BY EPSIE KINARD

## NEA Staff Writer

Tip to the bride who must budget her furniture and save on space is a gay double-duty table, which she can make.

Using an old chest of drawers, two castoff ironing boards and two matching table legs, here's how:

Give chest and table legs a light sanding. Paint these and the ironing boards with flame red paint. Peg to each ironing board a table leg for support, and rest opposite ends of ironing boards on top of chest, as shown.

When you swing one table leg forward, you have a buffet or bar arrangement. Swing both table legs to center, and presto, you have a table for family dining.

## Personal News

Lt. Ralph Coplan, U. S. M. C., and CPO Leland Bryson, both of whom are stationed at Glen View, Ill., Naval Air Base, flew to Escanaba, where they spent the weekend.

Yeoman 3/c Edward Hurley, has returned to Great Lakes where he is stationed after spending the weekend at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hurley, Old State Road.

Pvt. Lloyd Brown of Fort Lewis, Wash., is spending a 15-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Brown, 207 Second avenue north.

Don Jacobs, Walter Urban, Jim Ross, Don Moreau and Bob Goodreau attended the ski meet in Ishpeming Sunday.

Marvin Johnson received his discharge from the Seabees at Great Lakes and has returned to his home, 934 South Tenth street.

S 2/c Eldridge Dufour, son of Mrs. Edith Dufour, 110 South Eighth street, has returned to Great Lakes after visiting at his home for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewald Beck, 307 South 17th street, Joanne Beck and Bob Schwalbach spent Sunday in Manistique.

Russell Lee left yesterday for Houghton after visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Lee, 702 South 12th street, over the weekend. Russell is a student at Michigan School of Mining and Technology.

Francis Guay, 1809 Ludington street, left yesterday for Milwaukee where he is a student at Milwaukee Engineering Institute.

Miss Jean Rosenquist, of 1114 Eighth avenue south, left yesterday for Marquette where she will enter Northern Michigan College of Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gardner, of Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Goldberg, city, spent Sunday in Ishpeming visiting relatives and friends and attending the ski tournament.

Misses Jean Gardner and Helen Hayson of Wells spent Saturday and Sunday at Ishpeming.

Freckles Make  
Face Seem Gay  
And Youthful

## BY ALICIA HART

This is in defense of freckles which too many women—judging from reader letters—want to eradicate.

Since getting rid of them is not easy, why don't you stop looking at freckles with such a jaundiced eye? Anyway, the best "cure" is prevention, and by that I mean shielding skin from sunlight.

To artists, freckles are a touch of perennial youth. Extolled by fiction writers, heroines who freckle outnumber those who don't ten to one.

To this admirer of freckles, they suggest energy, vitality, playfulness and happiness. You never think of freckles in connection with a tragic face. Even if a woman with freckles is not beautiful—although plenty who have them ARE—she usually has so much vital charm that you don't think about her imperfect features.

I hope, after this, that you'll march your gift of freckles to a mirror and thank Nature for one of her most charming caprices. Then, let's not have any more nonsense about wiping them out.

Vernice Carlson,  
Louis Archibald  
Wed At Kingsford

Miss Vernice Carlson, daughter of Mrs. Anna Carlson, 217 South Twenty-third street, became the bride of Louis E. Archibald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Archibald of Kingsford at a ceremony on Saturday in the rectory of the Church of the American Martyrs in Kingsford. The couple exchanged vows before the Rev. John G. Hughes.

The bride wore a pale blue wool dress, studded with silver nail-heads. Black accessories and a shoulder bouquet of red carnations completed her costume.

She was attended by Miss Mary Archibald, the bridegroom's sister, who wore a cerise-colored dress with yellow and black trim, and black accessories. Her shoulder bouquet was white carnations.

Wilfred Floriana was best man. Mrs. Carlson, mother of the bride, and Mrs. Archibald, mother of the bridegroom, wore black dresses with shoulder bouquets of red roses and white sweet peas.

A three-tier cake, placed between bouquets of red carnations, made up the centerpiece of the table, at which guests were served a turkey dinner at the Harding hotel.

The bride, who was graduated from Escanaba high school with the class of 1940, was employed by the Ludington Motor Company.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Kingsford high school, was discharged Feb. 1 from the Marine Corps, in which he had served since November, 1943. He spent 14 months in the Pacific.

Out of town guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Carlson, brother and sister-in-law of the bride, Miss Joyce Carlson, sister of the bride, and Kenneth Carlson, brother of the bride, Escanaba.

Stop Worrying  
About Gray Hair

## BY RUTH MILLETT

## NEA Staff Writer

Throw back your shoulders and stop worrying about a few gray hairs, you women of over-30 who have long been sold a bill of goods about youth being beauty.

A man whose business depends on his ability to know beauty when he sees it, Walter Thornton, head of a New York model agency, has stuck his neck out to name his choices for America's 10 most beautiful women of different types and not one of them is under 30.

American women need that encouragement if they are ever to be able to settle down to being women instead of trying to be "girls" until they are in their 60s.

They need to be encouraged to believe that there is nothing shameful about birthdays after a woman has had 20 or so of them. A woman of 30 or 40 can never look like a girl of 20—yet she has been sold on the idea that it is her "duty" to manage it, by the use of this soap or that cream.

And so the American woman who has the time and money to fight age, fights a losing battle to hang onto youth when she could be using her time trying to make herself into an attractive, charming woman rather than in trying to remain a girl indefinitely.

That is why she spends so much more time on her looks than on her mind, why she has time for facials when she hasn't time for an outdoor sport; why she often has no greater variety of outside interests at 40 than she had at 20.

If American women would rebel against the idea that they have to keep up an eternal struggle to be girls, the faces of the women you see on the street wouldn't so often have hard, strained, dissatisfied expressions, that no amount of the proper foundation cream can ever cover up.

Belts are more important fashion news than ever. Wide or narrow, sequined, studded, of fur or of suede, they'll change that back-of-the-closet forgotten frock to this year's wardrobe beauty with no effort at all. Be sure to remove any unnecessary trimming from the dress in order to achieve a smart simplicity and spotlight your new accessories.

Do not soak washable clothes for more than twenty minutes as the fibers are apt to become weakened and soil is apt to become more deeply lodged.

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Cropped Hair Is  
Easily Managed

## BY ALICIA HART

## NEA Staff Writer

If you have to belabor your hair to keep it up, why hang on to a lot of length? Usually the reason hair is an unmanageable heap is because it grows old and tired in its effort to produce length.

You can make it as seductive as a Persian kitten's by chopping off tired or lifeless ends and putting a permanent into brand new growth, or obedience to your slightest whims and pretty styling of hair nothing beats new, healthy, close-to-the-scalp growth into which you put a soft permanent. The change is one from half-heated response—or none at all—to surprising life, stamina and snap.

Another argument in favor of cropping your hair is that the new styles which are coming in are short-cuts. Two vogues which are on their way in—the wind-blown bob, a revival of the 1920's, and the Regency dandy's, which is short and rather ragged at the edges—both say "off with long locks."

In Hollywood

## BY ERSKINE JOHNSON

## NEA Staff Correspondent

Hollywood—(NEA)—Someone once asked Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., if he planned to follow in his father's footsteps. Replied young Doug:

"His footsteps were so light they never left a trace."

So don't expect Junior to remake all of his famous dad's hit films now that he's back after five years in the Navy and ready to organize his own film-producing company after starring in "Sinbad the Sailor" for RKO.

In fact, young Doug has never even thought of following his dad's leaping footsteps in modernized versions of "Robin Hood," "The Black Pirate," and others of Doug Sr.'s hits.

Scared, He Says

Doug said he didn't want to talk about his five years in the Navy—and he's one of the fellows who could, with seven battle stars, five decorations from three different countries, Commando service and the rank of commander.

"I was just scared stiff all the time," he chuckled.

In fact, he didn't even want to give us a couple of amusing anecdotes, because he was saving them for a story he is writing himself. But he did.

One happened while he was on a Commando raid near Naples, Italy. He and seven other fellows went ashore to steal some important papers from an official's home. He was the senior officer. The place was surrounded by a 12-foot wall. There was the alternative of scaling the wall or breaking down a wooden door. Breaking down the door might attract attention.

"Not a word was said, but all of the men looked at me. I could see what they were thinking. 'Go ahead, Fairbanks, scale that wall. You've done it plenty of times in the movies.'"

"I just stood there for a moment—and wished I was back in Hollywood where a prop man could hang a vine on that wall for a hand-hold, or dig out a place for a foothold or shoot the scene in two takes—one reaching up and then a second shot going over the top. I grinned back at them and ordered them to follow me. I went around to the side and we broke down the door. Luckily, there was no one around to hear us."

Snafu in Flags

The other happened while Doug was serving with the fleet on Atlantic convoy duty early in the war. It was a combined operation with units of the U. S. and British fleets, but a combined operations system of flag signals had not yet been worked out.

The U. S. ships were running up flags misunderstood by the British, and vice versa, and there was general confusion. Finally the captain of Doug's ship ordered him to run up the church pennant and the interrogative pennant. Although puzzled, Doug did. Then he looked up the two pennants in the code-book, and practically doubled over in laughter.

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Canton Hiawatha  
Anniversary Fete  
Is Well Attended

Some 60 persons attended the banquet on Saturday evening which featured the sixteenth anniversary observance of Canton Hiawatha, No. 48, of Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., and its Ladies' Auxiliary at the lodge hall on North Tenth street.

For the banquet, tables in the dining hall were attractively decorated in traditional George Washington's birthday theme. Henry E. Hathaway was toastmaster and in very capable manner introduced the various officers of the Canton and Auxiliary. Mayor Sam Wickman was also introduced and responded with a speech. Among out-of-town guests were Chevalier and Mrs. Lem Treblecock of Ishpeming and the Misses Helen Russell and Laura Jean Phelps of Milwaukee, Wis.

Following the banquet program there was a grand march and military ball. Members of Impellant Lodge and of Phoebe Rebekah Lodge as well as the celebrating organizations were in attendance.

Polished Look Is  
Envied By Others

## BY ALICIA HART

## NEA Staff Writer

There's always a girl you envy because she couldn't look less than her spruced-up best.

You'd learn the secret of her good grooming, if you went home with her. The betting is odds-on that every dail in its proper place, clean, and in good repair.

You can, of course, salvage a presentable appearance, even out of a welter of untended clothes, if you have a lot of time and are willing to spend it. But the job of maintaining good grooming week in and week out takes thought, organization and orderly habits.

These points were brought up by a former Red Cross correspondent. She's Faith Brewer, back from the CBI Theater, with whom I discussed the "polish" look of the girls in service.

Miss Brewer is convinced that one of the most valuable lessons the girls learned was how to keep their clothes neat, clean and repaired; their accessories as polished and ready to wear as an active fireman's.

"No matter what kind of clothes they choose to replace overseas caps, uniforms and sturdy brogues," says Faith, "girl vets will look well-groomed, thanks to the habit of orderliness which they have learned."

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## Briefly Told

**Presbyterian Guild**—A regular meeting of the Presbyterian Guild will be held Wednesday evening, February 27, in the church parlors. Hostesses are Mrs. Myrtle Wierenga and Mrs. Cornelia Arrowood. Mrs. Mina Drefs will conduct the devotion.

**Royal Neighbors**—The Mayflower Camp, No. 10707, Royal Neighbors of America, will hold a social this evening in the I. O. O. F. hall. Members and friends are invited to attend. Hostesses are Emma Kasoborn, Frances Cherneski and Merle Archey.

**W. S. of C. S.**—The Evening Circle of the W. S. of C. S. of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. H. P. Trieger. All members are urged to attend.

**Women's Society**—The annual meeting of the Women's society of the Presbyterian church will be held Wednesday in the church parlors. A pot luck luncheon will be served promptly at 1 p. m. A missionary program will follow. Members are asked to bring their own table service.

**Ladies' Aid**—The Baptist Ladies' Aid society will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the church parlors. Hostesses will be Mrs. E. A. Miller, Mrs. J. B. Greene and Mrs. F. Vail.

**Travel Club**—There will be a regular meeting of the Travel Club of W. B. A. Review No. 47 Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Leonard Storr, North Second street. Mrs. Vilas Young will be the hostess. All members are urged to attend. Members bringing guests are asked to call Mrs. L. R. Thornd. Court whist will be played.

**Card Party**—The Lincoln PTA is sponsoring a pre-Lenten card party Thursday in the Lincoln school gym. Cribbage, five hundred, bridge and flinch will be in play beginning at 8 o'clock in the kindergarten room until 11 p. m. Dancing will be from 9 to 12 o'clock. The committee in charge is Mrs. Richard Bunker, chairman. Mrs. Richard Abrahams, Mrs. John Haindl, Mrs. William Bergner, Mrs. A. Hutchinson, Mrs. Fred Christensen and Mrs. Francis Holholm.

**King's Daughters**—There will be a regular meeting of the King's Daughters of the Bethel Baptist church Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the church parlors. Hostesses are Mrs. Ruth Johnson, Mrs. Harold Johnson and Mrs. Henry Brolin. Each member is to bring a dish towel for the church kitchen.

**Ladies' Aid**—The Norwegian Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. M. Drevdahl. All members are urged to attend.

**Reception**—A reception will be held in the Bethany Baptist Chapel at Gulliver this evening for Rev. and Mrs. E. Curtis Peterson and family. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

**Supper**—The Presbyterian Guild will hold a supper Thursday evening in the church parlors.

## City Briefs

Frank DeCelle is leaving the first of this week for Green Bay where he will attend a refrigerator dealers meetings. He will also visit there with his father, August DeCelle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Benish and daughters, Marge and Henrietta, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson, are leaving Friday for Marinette where they will attend the wedding Saturday of John Benish and Albina O'Clair.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sellman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hinkson, Pat Curran and Lauritz Hough attended the ski meet Sunday at Ishpeming.

Visiting over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cayia, Lake street, were their two daughters: Mrs. Robert Dean, who is attending Milwaukee State Teachers' college, and Miss Jane Cayia, who has a teaching position in Manitowoc.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hoholik have returned here from their wedding trip, and are making their home at 171 River street.

Mrs. Earl LeBrousseau is ill at her home on Range street.

Fred Cayia, who recently returned here from Chautau Field, Ill., after being discharged from the Army Air Corps, left Sunday to resume his studies at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor.

P. P. Stanness, Ray Males and Alvin Nelson motored to Ishpeming Sunday, where they attended the ski meet.

The opera, motion pictures, theater, and ballet are all state-supported under the Soviet government.

**Drury Held Up At St. Ignace Sunday**  
Cliff Drury, Lansing, YMCA secretary, who was scheduled to visit with H. Y. officers and sponsors here Sunday, was unable to reach Gladstone because of car failure at St. Ignace. Drury will make a brief visit here on Friday.

**Film To Be Shown At School Thursday**  
A film entitled "Scarlet Letter" will be shown at Gladstone high school on Thursday, it was learned yesterday at the office of Supt. Wallace Cameron.

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## GLADSTONE

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## City Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Smith and children, Jimmy and Clarice, left yesterday for Detroit where they will visit with relatives for several days. They will return to Gladstone the latter part of the week.

Kenneth Johnson attended the ski tournament at Ishpeming on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Paine and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Anderson and children of Stephenson spent Sunday at the Louis Burn home.

Dr. and Mrs. Pinkington of the lower peninsula were weekend guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Diamond.

Major Alton Hoover, U. S. Army Transportation Corps, sailed from Belgium for the United States on Feb. 18, according to word received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hoover, Minnesota avenue. Major Hoover has been overseas for 18 months and has been stationed at the Fifth Major port.

Irving Johns has returned from Neaunee where he spent the weekend at his parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schness Sr., of Shawano, Wis., spent Sunday here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schness Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Venne attended the national ski tournament at Ishpeming on Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Schness, who has been visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schness Sr., for the past three months while her mother was ill, left Sunday to return to Appleton, Wis., where she will resume her position as a beauty operator. She accompanied Donald Praef of Appleton, who visited here Sunday.

Miss Marie Shandonay and Glenn Caswell viewed the ski tournament at Ishpeming Sunday.

Mrs. Irene Brown spent the week-end visiting at Marquette and Ishpeming and while at the latter city attended the ski meet.

Franklin Brown and George Rouman attended the ski meet at Ishpeming on Sunday.

## Obituary

**MOSE RABIDEAU**  
Funeral services for Mose Rabideau, 95, longtime Rapid River resident, were conducted yesterday morning at 9 o'clock in All Saints' Catholic church, the Rev. Fr. Anderson offering the mass of requiem.

Music for the mass was sung by the church choir composed of the Misses Lucille, Marie, Patricia and Susan Murray and Frances Boyer accompanied by Dale Teinert, organist. "Ave Maria Steller" by Marsh was sung at the Offertory and "Mother of Sorrows" as the body was being removed from the church.

Bearing the body to its final resting place in the Rapid River cemetery were Frank Gerlach, John McCarthy, Roger Kirch, Charles Kirch, Archie Forest and Joseph Casimir.

The Kelley funeral home was in charge.

**Former Resident Claimed By Death**

Herb Meldrum, 69, former resident of Gladstone and a brother-in-law of Paul Zimmer, passed away Friday at Marquette where he had lived for the past twenty years.

Meldrum was born in Chicago, July 27, 1876 and as a young man came to Garth to work. Later he moved to Gladstone where in 1906 he was united in marriage to Martha Zimmer. They resided here until 1926 when they moved to Marquette. When in Gladstone he belonged to the Longshoremen.

Surviving is one son, Virgil, of Chicago.

Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church with Rev. C. L. Harries officiating Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zimmer, Gladstone, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sidbeck of Escanaba attended the services.

**Dr. Whittemore To Speak On Planning**

Dr. Harlow Whittemore, professor of architecture at the University of Michigan, is coming to Gladstone on the evening of Saturday, March 30, to give a talk on "Community Planning." It is learned from Supt. Wallace C. Cameron, who arranged for his appearance here.

A dinner meeting is to be held at the yacht club for a mixed audience and Dr. Whittemore will answer questions after his formal address.

"Rented the first day" said Smith.

## RADIO RALLY

The staff of Your Sunday Gospel Hour will present a special program of sacred music at the First Baptist Church Gladstone this evening commencing at 7:30 P. M. Come, and bring your friends.

## SEEK JOBS FOR 350 MEN HERE

Local USES Office Will Solicit Employers For Openings

M. G. Heinz, local manager of the United States Employment Service, yesterday announced that employers in Manistique will be solicited for 350 job openings to be filled by returning veterans, former war plant workers and others.

The local job development campaign, Mr. Heinz said, parallels a state and national campaign to promote the listing of jobs for approximately 6,200,000 returning service men and women, former war plant work on sreedroht, p year plant workers and other job seekers.

"There is a widening gap between the number of returning veterans and jobs listed in public employment offices that veterans can accept," said Mr. Heinz. "This is also true of ex-war workers and others who are in the labor market," he said.

Up to the present time approximately 152 returned veterans have been placed in jobs, but at the same time there are approximately 300 applications on file with the local USES offices here from veterans who have not found acceptable jobs, Mr. Heinz said. He asserted there is a total of 350 applications for job seekers on file in his office. Furthermore, increasing numbers of veterans will be back during the peak of demobilization between now and July 1, adding greatly to the number of jobs which must be found.

"Most veterans who are out of jobs now have good qualifications for a wide variety of jobs," said Mr. Heinz. "If they did not have work experience before entering the services, many gained experience and skills which fit them for a variety of jobs in civilian industry. The soldiers and sailors who will be discharged between now and July 1 are also qualified for good jobs and will need employment. As a matter of fact, veterans represent, in many cases, the 'cream' of the labor market."

"Since we do not have enough job openings which match the experience, training, and abilities of these applicants, we are going to make every effort to find them."

"We need a wide range of jobs, good jobs in a variety of occupations, listed with USES in every county so that qualified veterans and other job applicants can be referred to specific employers for the specific kind of jobs they are qualified to perform."

"We are doing everything possible to make the local USES office a central community job clearing house, where all employers and all workers including veterans, can get the best employment results," Mr. Heinz said, concluding his statement.

**Cooks Independents Win Close Game Over Nahma Town Cagers**

The Cooks Independents basketball team won a hard-fought nip and tuck battle with the Nahma Independents in a game played at the Nahma community center on Sunday afternoon, the game ending by a score of 45 to 40.

Nahma had a ten point lead at the end of the first half and was leading at the end of the third quarter, but a flock of buckets in the last few minutes of play helped Cooks out of a tight place.

Cooks will play the Marquette VFW team at the Cooks gymnasium this evening. S. Warner refereed the Nahma game.

The biggest helicopter in the world belongs to the U. S. Navy. It is the first to use successfully two rotors in a tandem arrangement. It is 48 feet long and 13 feet high. The Navy has hopes of using it as a rescue plane and for special transport duty. It is capable of carrying 12 passengers.

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**Three Local Boys Tried Thrills Of Ishpeming Slide**

Three Manistique boys — John Paul Quick, Paul Vezina and Lawrence Rubick—tried their skill on Suicide Hill at Ishpeming Sunday afternoon and made standing jumps of 150 feet each.

While this is many feet less than the best jumps made, it was better than that made by many Class A riders in the meet in spite of the fact that the boys' ages would have placed them in Class C had they qualified. The boys, however, performed only as guests at the tournament because the local ski club is not affiliated with the Central Ski Association and they were for that reason not eligible to compete. Action will be taken before long to affiliate the Manistique Ski club with this ski group and the members can then enter active competition.

John Quick, when asked if he wasn't scared when he looked down the slide said, "I didn't take time to ask 'Should I or shouldn't I?' I was half way down the slide before I thought about making up my mind."

In spite of the snowstorm, that in some places along the way assumed blizzard proportions, several auto loads of ski enthusiasts from here made the trip.

**MRS. LESICA PASSES AWAY**

Resident Of Manistique 44 Years Dies Sunday

Mrs. Mary Lesica, 64, of 237 North Cedar street, passed away at the Shaw hospital at 2:15 a. m. Sunday after several months' illness.

Mrs. Lesica was born Mary Karlovich September 8, 1881 in Slovenia. She came to Manistique 44 years ago in 1902 and was married to Joseph Lesica on July 3, 1904. She was a member of St. Francis de Sales church.

She is survived by her husband, Joseph Lesica Sr., two daughters, Mary and Caroline, both of Manistique, and six sons, Joseph Jr., and John of Manistique, Frank of West Allis, Wis.; Nick of Deerfield, Ill.; Capt. George Lesica, Camp Lee, Va.; and 1st Lt. Ferdinand Lesica now stationed in Germany, one grandchild and one brother, Nicholas Karlovich of Commodore, Pa.

The body is in state at Morton's funeral home.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday morning at St. Francis de Sales church at 8 o'clock. Burial will be in Fairview cemetery. Father B. J. P. Schevers will officiate at the funeral.

**Social**

**Pre-Nuptial Shower**  
Miss Albina O'Clair of Marinette was honored recently at a pre-nuptial shower given for her at the home of Mrs. John Peterson, 114 Elk street.

Games were played during the evening with prizes being awarded to Mrs. Art Mattlin, Mrs. Elmer Tuinell, Mrs. Van Anderson, Mrs. Lillian Fudala and Mrs. George Mero.

A delicious lunch was served at the close of the evening. Miss O'Clair, who will become the bride of John Benish, March 2, received many lovely gifts.

Shower arrangements were made by Mrs. Edith Herman, Mrs. John Peterson and Marge Benish.

**Bridge Club**  
Mrs. A. J. Cayia entertained members and guests of her bridge club Thursday evening at her home on Lake street.

Honors for the evening went to Mrs. N. L. Lindquist, high, and Mrs. A. W. Cockram, second. Tasty refreshments were served later.

Guests were Mrs. Leon Nicholson and Mrs. W. J. Bruley.

**Women's Club To Observe Guest Day Monday, March 4**

The Annual Guest Day of the Manistique Women's club will be held next Monday, March 4. Each club member is urged to attend and bring with her a guest.

Mrs. Alice Graham will speak on "The East—Near and Far." Mrs. Graham came to the local club highly recommended by the members of Iron Mountain, Marinette, Menominee and Oshkosh clubs, having appeared on programs in those cities. She is the wife of a British consular agent and has lived many years in many places, among many of the earth's peoples. She and her husband were interned by the Japs for nine months in Tientsin at the beginning of the war.

Music for the day will be furnished by a trio of ladies' voices composed of Mrs. Scott Creighton, Mrs. George Newton and Mrs. Otmer Schuster. They will sing a group of Indian songs by Thurlow Liemance. "Where Drowsy Waters Steal," "Wi-un," an Indian lullaby and "By the Waters of Minnetonka." The latter will have violin obligato by Nancy Cookson. Mrs. Arthur Hall will play the piano accompaniment.

**SKATER'S MEET DRAWS CROWD**

Chill Winds Failed To Check Enthusiasm At Big Event

About 700 spectators braved the chill penetrating north wind to watch a galaxy of speed and figure skaters perform on the Stadium rink Sunday afternoon.

Besides the sixty-nine local entries in the various races, there were twelve speed skaters from the Escanaba Winter Sports club and eleven figure skaters from the Escanaba Figure Skating club. Most of the speed skaters were U. P. champions in their respective divisions. One of the Escanaba girls, Marilyn Groos, recently at Detroit, lost the Michigan championship in her division only by an unfortunate technical error. In spite of extremely unfavorable weather for figure skating, the members of the Escanaba Figure Skating club performed their difficult numbers with great skill. The strong freezing winds not only made it difficult for them to maintain their balance, but also made it extremely uncomfortable in their brief costumes.

Other special events were a comic act on ice by Leonard Johnson of Munising and a special two mile race by 67 year old Pete Dube of Escanaba. Mr. Dube skated 16 laps with little apparent effort. His opposition consisted of three Manistique teen-agers—Allan Schuster, Chick Ramsden and Wesley Ramsden. Allen and Chick skated five laps and Wesley six laps, but Mr. Dube glided past them at will.

Following are the skaters from the Escanaba Figure Skating club and the numbers they performed: Woodland Fairy, Patsy Saul.

A Musical Flash, Patsy Wicklund.

Southern Belle and Her Beau, Maxine Dufour and Tom Schwalbach.

Cowboy Capers, Glenn and Billy Palmer.

American Beauty, Joanne Beck. Jumpy and Bumpy, Marvin Cartwright and Jimmy Creten.

Rhythmic Bombshell, Helen Schwalbach.

Sweethearts, Joanne Beck and Bob Schwalbach.

Winners among the Manistique youngsters are as follows: Boys 110 yards—1st, Francis Laurion, 19.5 sec.; 2nd, Francis Harbick.

Girls, 110 yards—1st, Sandra White, 22 sec.; 2nd, Janet Multhaup.

Midglet Class, 10 and 11—Boys, 220 yards—1st, Peter Peterson, 41 sec.; 2nd, Jack Wilson.

Girls, 220 yards—1st, Phyllis Selling, 44.5 sec.; 2nd, Lois Wilson.

Juvenile Class, 12 and 13—Boys—1st, Sonny Radgens, 31.3 sec.; 2nd, Richard Miller.

Girls—1st, Mary Alice Wilson, and Betty Jean DeMars, tie, 37.7 sec.

Junior Class, 14 and 15—Boys, 220 yards—1st, Clyde Strasser, 32 sec.; 2nd, Louis Busch.

Girls—1st, Marcella Sangraw, 45 sec.; 2nd, Faye Wilson.

Intermediate Class, 16 and 17—Boys, 220 yards—1st, Allen Schuster, 27.0 sec.; 2nd, Chick Ramsden.

Boys, 440 yards—1st, Chick Ramsden, 58.3 sec.; 2nd, Allan Schuster.

**Youngster Pulls Whopper Out Of Indian Lake**

"It's too bad that the Lure Book has already gone to press," said Frank Hoholik in commenting on the fish one of his neighbor's boys, Fred Balke Jr., aged 10, pulled out of the waters of Indian lake Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Balke called the Hoholiks over to see the "big fish" Junior had pulled out of the water not far from their cottage near Arrowhead Inn. Expecting a "nice five or six pound walleye," Mr. Hoholik called at the home where he found the catch still kicking on the kitchen floor and junior sobbing with excitement and from cold number fingers that were beginning to tingle.

The great northern pike—for such it was—was 48 inches in length, about eight inches in depth and weighed 21 pounds and ten ounces.

Junior had been fishing with minnows most of the day, but had no success. Becoming impatient, he substituted his bait with a daredevil, working it up and down in the water. The fish, well hooked, was out of the water before it had a chance to put up a fight.

**Vernon Linderoth Returns To City**

Vernon Linderoth, who left Manistique more than three years ago to engage in war work at Flint, has returned to Manistique and will be associated with his brother, Walter Linderoth, in the farm implement business.

Mr. Linderoth, during his residence in Flint, was employed in a certain phase of the manufacture of a bomb sight and leaves the employment of the General Motors with high commendation and praise from the superintendent of the division where he worked.

**Off The Chest ...**

BY JAY ARRELL

We are reminded, every so often, by a certain nerve-jangling statistic, that the average American child is absent from school about 13 days annually.

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But there were such names as Duncan C. Currie, jeweler; Edmund Ashford, real estate; Peter Zimmerman, cigar maker; Rose Brothers, merchants; I. S. Shippeny, manager Chicago Lumber company store; W. W. Wheeler, M. H. Quick, C. E. Kelsa, George H. Orr, lumbering; W. H. Nelson, R. H. Jenny, G. H. Brusie, Manistique Iron Company; E. E. Burrell, Chemical company; A. S. Putnam, druggist; A. M. LeRoy, hardware merchant—which are from time to time brought up in conversation (some with affection and some not so kindly) but with the subdued consideration that one gives those who are not among the living.

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Cedar street business establishments seemed to be located, with a few straggling exceptions, on the west side of the thoroughfare. Where the People's store now stands was what appeared to be a park—perhaps it was a residence. At any rate a picket fence abutted the sidewalk.

Dominating a double-page spread in the center of the booklet is a picture of the Manistique harbor with its interminable piles of lumber, its sawmills off in the distance and not a single one of the industrial plants that are now situated near the west bank of the river. The only landmarks that give the scene a Manistique touch are the Ossie hotel and the spires of the Catholic and Lutheran churches.

Pointed to with pride were Manistique's "substantial, comfortable and hospitable abodes," all elaborately garnished with gingerbread trimmings and lightning rods. Three of the fifteen pictured had cement sidewalks fronting the yards; a few others had board walks and the rest dirt pathways.

Manistiquies churches were all represented in the booklet, but the only ones that were readily recognizable were the Catholic and the Presbyterian edifices. The Swedish (Zion) Lutheran church has since been rebuilt and changes in the Methodist and in the Bethel and First Baptist churches have made them hard to recognize.

Other things which gave a quaint touch to the scene were the steam fishing fleets, Fred M. Orr's lively barn with a horse-drawn hearse dominating the entrance; the Willebrand brewery; the tannery and last but not least, the Schoolcraft county court house.

This last named landmark was much the same as it is today except the trees which now make the place so attractive, were saplings when the picture was taken. Also, there is a spread eagle perched on the tip of the cupola. Perhaps it was a real eagle—maybe a sea gull. Anyway, if it was an inanimate bird its gone and nobody seems to know what became of it.

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## MILLIONS BACK MEXICAN CLUB

Baseball Loop Across  
Border Lures Stars  
From U.S.A.

BY THEODORE A. EDIGER  
Mexico City, Feb. 25 (AP)—There's 40 million American dollars behind the Mexico City and Vera Cruz clubs of the Mexican baseball league, Gerardo Pasquel, one of the owners, said today and added that the league would continue its efforts to lure U. S. major league players south of the border.

The loop played into the U. S. market for players a year ago and acquired such as Tommy Delas Cruz of Cincinnati, Chille Gomez of the Philadelphia Phils and Washington Senators, and Chico Hernandez of the Chicago Cubs.

Mexico City and Vera Cruz, who play their home games in the capital city, are largely owned by the five Pasquel brothers whose fortune was built up in various enterprises.

"All the clubs made sizeable profits last year and this year we will have bigger and better ones," Gerardo said.

"And if American clubowners think they have lost some players, they will be in for a bigger surprise in March. We have got many U. S. players and we are going to get more."

Although Pasquel refused to say what salaries were being offered he indicated that reports of a \$40,000 on a four-year contract to Fred Martin, St. Louis Cardinal rookie, and of \$10,000 to Gardella for five years appeared to be slightly high.

Players here, Pasquel added, would have the benefit of the low Mexican income tax rate which charges only 9 per cent on a wage of \$2,800 a month.

Pasquel said that all the teams were building new parks and that he expected most of them to be ready for the 1947 campaign. Work already has started on a Mexico City plant that will seat 50,000.

## Escanaba Hawks To Play Marquette Sentinels Tonight

The Escanaba Hawks hockey team will travel to Marquette tonight to play the Marquette Sentinels.

The game is scheduled to start at 8:00 o'clock. The team will leave Escanaba at 5:30 p. m. It is hoped that a good Escanaba following will be in Marquette to support the team.

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## Tom Swifts Take Neopit Indians 49-38 Victory

A large crowd witnessed the Tom Swifts basketball victory over the Neopit Indians of Neopit, Wis., ending in a score of 49-38. Bob Ranquette was high man with 22 points and Roy Johnson put in expert play which made an interesting game.

Ted Dugas, playing guard, is a new man to the Swifts team. He formerly played with the River-side team at Iron Mountain.

The box score was as follows:

Tom Swifts	FG	FT	PF
H. Kleimen	3	0	5
M. Palmgren	0	0	0
R. Johnson	3	0	3
M. Kuchenburg	3	0	0
M. Ranquette	11	0	1
P. Dufour	1	1	2
T. Dugas	1	0	0
R. Kleimen	0	0	1
V. Smith	0	0	0
Totals	48	1	13

Neopit Indians	FG	FT	PF
Fossum	1	0	0
Dowd	0	0	0
Wsuhechon	4	2	4
Kruger	7	4	5
Spears	3	2	1
Waukam	0	0	1
Pawasay	1	0	0
Totals	30	8	11

Referee: Roy Ranquette, Harris.

## MIKE'S BAR WINS

Mike's Bar won the preliminary game with Bark River, 52 to 22.

The box score follows:

Bark River	FG	FT	PF
D. Bergman, f.	4	2	2
Bruckhardt, f.	2	0	0
Nault, c.	1	0	2
Perket, g.	0	0	4
McGinnis, g.	1	2	2
Olson, f.	0	0	1
Gandault, g.	0	0	2
C. Johnson, c.	1	0	1
Palmgren, f.	0	0	0
Totals	9	4	14

Mike's Bar	FG	FT	PF
O'Donnell	1	1	0
Jensen	3	0	1
MacDonald	2	3	4
B. Boddy	2	1	3
Gray	2	1	2
F. Boddy	4	0	2
Totals	13	6	12

Score by periods:  
Bark River 5 4 4 9—22  
Mike's Bar 10 3 11 8—33  
Referee: Ranquette.

## Basketball

Standings in the city basketball league:  
Tom Swifts basketball team maintained its perfect record by beating Mike's Bar, 43-25 and Oberg's 44 to 30 in last week's play. In a close game Gladstone edged out Bark River 35 to 33 to gain a tie with Oberg's for second place.

LEAGUE STANDINGS	W	L
Tom Swifts	6	0
Gladstone	3	3
Oberg's	3	3
Mike's Bar	0	2
Bark River	0	6

High scorers in the league are:  
Pts.  
Bob Ranquette, Tom Swifts... 98  
Babe Kleimen, Tom Swifts... 61  
Mickey Kuchenburg, T. Swifts... 53  
Dude Ranquette, Oberg's... 40  
C. Johnson, Bark River... 32  
Tom Dufour, Tom Swifts... 29  
Jim Damitz, Gladstone... 26  
Warne Fisher, Gladstone... 25  
Dale Heidenreich, Oberg's... 24

League play is under the direction of the city recreation department.

## Jayhawks Capture Title In Big Six

Lawrence, Kas., Feb. 25 (AP)—The University of Kansas Jayhawks won their eighth undisputed basketball championship in eighteen years of Big Six Conference campaigning by defeating Iowa State, out-going titlist, 69-41, here tonight.



12,000 FANS—A new attendance record was established at Ishpeming Sunday with a crowd of 12,000 fans, a portion of which can be seen in this general view of the hill taken Sunday afternoon. Many of the ski fans remained in their cars during the meet as the weather was snappy, despite a bright sun.

## RESERVES PLAY IN TOURNAMENT

Perkins, Rapid, Harris  
And Rock Win Rounds  
At Stephenson

First round games of the third annual reserve basketball tournament, sponsored by Stephenson high school, were played Monday afternoon and evening by Class D and E teams. Winners were Perkins, Rapid River, Harris and Rock. The scores were:

Perkins 33, Powers 22  
Rapid River 14, Bark River 13  
Harris 52, Carney 23  
Rock 36, Daggett 16

## Max Morris Fails To Reach 200 Mark In Scoring Total

Chicago, Feb. 25 (AP)—Northwestern's Max Morris failed by two points to reach the coveted 200 mark in Big Ten basketball scoring and there is a remote chance that his final 198 total will not be enough for his second straight conference championship.

Blazing away for 26 points against Indiana Saturday night, sharp-shooting Tony Jara of Minnesota with a 10-game bag of 155 has a mathematical chance of passing Morris in his final two games. Jara needs 44 points against Iowa and Wisconsin, and average of 22 points per game, to edge the Northwestern star, who tallied only eight points in his final game against Ohio State Saturday night.

Bill Reed, Big Ten publicist, said a re-check of Morris' scoring gave him an official 12-game total of 198. It had been reported Morris lost a basket in a scoring mix-up earlier at Michigan, but Wolverine officials reviewed their books and said his original total of five points was correct.

Thus, Morris lost a chance to become the fourth player in conference history to score 200 points in one season, and the third to do the trick in 12 games.

## Mangrum Is Winner In Pensacola Open

Pensacola, Fla., Feb. 25 (AP)—Smooth stroking Ray Mangrum of Los Angeles shot a 68—four under par—to win the Pensacola Open golf tournament today in a 18-hole playoff with Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa. Hogan had a 71.

Hogan won only two holes on the 6,100 yard Country Club course, one with an eagle three on the par five, 508-yard 12th hole and the other when Mangrum took a four on the par three 16th.

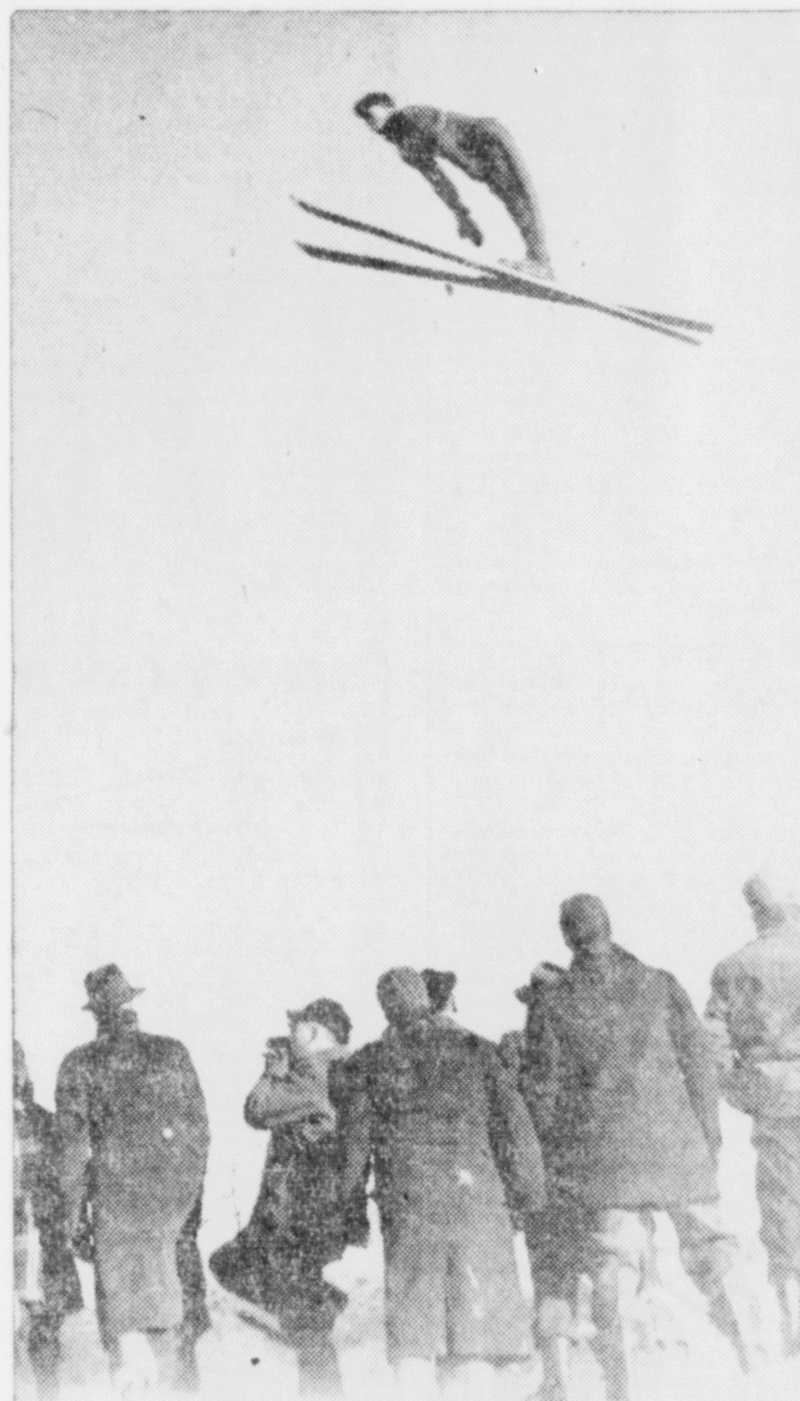
Mangrum won five holes and they halved the other 11.

For the Los Angeles pro it was his first major victory since winning the Tucson Open in January last year and netted him first prize of 1,500. Hogan received \$1,000 for second place.

## Softball Officers To Meet Tonight

There will be an important meeting of officers and members of the board of control of the Escanaba Softball association this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the city hall.

Planned improvements for the lighted field will be discussed at this meeting.



RECORD JUMP—Wilbert Rasmussen, 16 year old Negaunee ski rider stole the show at Suicide Hill in Ishpeming Sunday with a jump of 250 feet, setting a new hill record. Rasmussen, a Class C rider, fell on his second jump and failed to place in the meet after holding a big lead up to that point.

## The Sports Parade

By Ken Gunderman

The elusive 300 foot ski jump, long the goal of American ski jumpers, may be possible at Suicide Hill in Ishpeming, but it is unlikely, even under most favorable conditions, Wilbert Rasmussen, of Negaunee, the Class C rider who soared 250 feet off the ramp at Suicide Hill Sunday to establish a new record for the hill may have gained as much as 25 additional feet with a favorable wind but jumps beyond this distance would be hazardous indeed at the Ishpeming hill. One thing certain, however, and that is simply that Rasmussen's new hill record will not hold up when favorable wind conditions prevail.

The riders were bucking a stiff headwind in their jumps from Suicide Hill Sunday, a factor that undoubtedly reduced the length of the jumps considerably. It was cold, too, at Ishpeming Sunday, despite a blue sky, too cold for maximum enjoyment of the meet, but the cold weather made the snow fast. The Ishpeming Ski club apparently is determined to recapture the national record for its suicide hill and if the present scaffold and landing is inadequate to reach this goal, it is likely that further improvement will be made later.

Dick Axness of Ashland, 6 foot, 3 inch basketball star, set a scoring mark that probably will stand for a long time when he crammed 22 baskets and nine free throws through the hoop against the Wakefield Cardinals last week. The amazing total of 53 points was the major factor in his team's 71 to 42 victory over Wakefield. The combined total of 113 points also represents the heaviest scoring in a single game this season. Axness fired away from all angles and was red hot, cashing a fabulous percentage of his shots.

The Press sports desk has been deluged with calls in recent days from basketball fans who have inquired about the dates for the district basketball tournaments. The dates are March 14-15-16, with the finals tournament planned the following week March 21-22-23. The sports calendar apparently was moved back a full week. A large number of upper peninsula teams conclude their regular schedules this week, necessitating a week of idleness for them as they await the opening of the tournaments.

What the upper peninsula athletic council needs is an information officer, located in the upper peninsula, information concerning the council's actions, rules, meetings, etc. This would be in striking contrast to the council's present policy which gags all of its members and establishes the sole source of information in Lansing.

The St. Louis Browns won 30 night games last year while losing 19.

## SKI MEET IS WELL ATTENDED

Cerald, Theresa Harris  
Divide Honors At  
Local Tourney

Gerald Harris and Theresa Harris, brother and sister, divided individual honors in the Escanaba Ski club meet Sunday at the local ski bowl and St. Joseph school won the organization trophy. The individual championship trophy was awarded jointly to Gerald and Theresa Harris, each of whom won 45 points with three first places in their respective divisions. The St. Joseph school compiled 207 points to win the organization trophy and the Boy Scouts were second with 69 points.

The results of the meet follow:  
Juvenile class—Boys' downhill: John Larson, first; Clayton Lindquist, second; John Calouette, third. Girls' downhill: Theresa Harris, first.

Junior class—Boys' downhill: Clayton Lindquist, first; Allan Martin, second; Girls' slalom: Theresa Harris, first. Boys' cross country: Clayton Lindquist, first; Allan Martin, second; Harold Martin, third. Girls' cross country: Theresa Harris, first.

Senior class—Men's downhill: Gene Harris, first. Women's downhill: Doris Costley, first; Janet Raymond, second. Men's slalom: Ed Erickson, first; Gene Harris, second. Women's slalom: Beulah Erickson and Doris Costley, tied. Men's cross country: Gene Harris, first; Ed Erickson, second. Women's cross country: Janet Raymond, first; Beulah Erickson, second; Doris Costley, third.

There were a total of 90 entries in the meet Sunday and the events were largely attended. Winners were awarded prizes in all events.

Senior class—Men's downhill: Gene Harris, first. Women's downhill: Doris Costley, first; Janet Raymond, second. Men's slalom: Ed Erickson, first; Gene Harris, second. Women's slalom: Beulah Erickson and Doris Costley, tied. Men's cross country: Gene Harris, first; Ed Erickson, second. Women's cross country: Janet Raymond, first; Beulah Erickson, second; Doris Costley, third.

Intermediate class—no girls entered. Boys' downhill: Robert Bosk, first; Howard Boudreau, second; Gus Anderson, third. Boys' slalom: Robert Bosk, first; Gus Anderson, second; Gordon Hermes, third. Boys' cross country: Howard Klemmetsen, first; Robert Bosk and Gus Anderson, tied for second and third.

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## HOOSIERS HAND TITLE TO OHIO

Buckeyes Given Big Ten  
Crown While Sitting  
At Home Work

Chicago, Feb. 28 (AP)—Ohio State's basketball players sitting at home with their studies tonight, won the Big Ten championship 48 hours after they'd played their last game.

The Buckeyes got an assist from Indiana's Hoosiers, who knocked defending champion Iowa out of its last chance to tie for the crown, and dumped the Hawkeyes into third place, by winning, 49 to 46.

The Hawkeyes still have a chance to tie Indiana for second place by defeating Minnesota at Minneapolis Saturday night in their final game, but the Gophers probably will be no soft touch on their home floor. Four weeks ago, at Iowa City, Minnesota pushed the Hawkeyes into an overtime period before succumbing, 63-61.

After that game, only one more remains on the Big Ten schedule—Wisconsin at Minnesota, March 4.

	W	L	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Ohio State	10	2	.833	590	510
Indiana	9	3	.750	641	551
Iowa	8	3	.727	559	492
Northwestern	8	4	.667	628	574
Illinois	7	5	.583	627	499
Minnesota	5	5	.500	536	537
Michigan	6	6	.500	661	584
Purdue	4	8	.333	586	598
Wisconsin	1	10	.091	519	611
Chicago	0	12	.000	377	763

## Reserves Play In Stephenson Meet

The Eskymo Reserves will play Lourdes Reserves at Stephenson tonight in the opening round of the Class B-C reserve team tournament.

Coach Henry Wylie will take a squad of ten men to Stephenson today. They are Jim Hirn, Jim Dean, Don Cota, Dave Friets, Jim Piche, Ray Horn, Ron Johnson, W. Buckland, Wm. Benard and Harold Van Effen.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL  
Kansas 69; Iowa State 41.  
Indiana 49; Iowa 46.

## Section 9-7 Takes Semi-Finals In The Junior High Tourney

Section 9-7 of the Escanaba Junior high school home room basketball teams took the tourney in the semi-finals Monday by a score of 18-11 over the Moose team of the gym classes. The Section 9-7 five will play the regular Junior high team to determine the Junior high championship on Wednesday.

Members of the two teams who played Monday's game were:

Moose—McCrary, O'seen, Kangas, Dugener, Gustafson and Nicholson.

Section 9-7—Pearson, Sundquist, Adams, Elliott and Pryal.

## GREENBERG HAS OLD CONFIDENCE

Big Hank Reported To  
Be Getting \$60,000  
For 1946 Work

BY JACK HAND

Lakeland, Fla., Feb. 25 (AP)—Hank Greenberg turned at a brier once as he sat on a bench in the Detroit clubhouse and explained how he expected to earn baseball's highest salary by playing first base 154 games, hitting over .300 and swatting his share of home runs for a winning ball club.

That's a heavy summer schedule for a 35-year-oldster who was in the Army for four years but Hank says he will have no excuses once spring training is over.

"Some of the boys have been writing that my legs are gone," reminded Greenberg. "They forget I came out of service last year and started playing right in the middle of the season. Then when I hurt my ankle I still kept trying to play. Sure I had Charley horses, trying too hard too early. Anybody looks bad trying to run with a Charley horse."

"I think I did pretty fair last year with 60 runs batted in and 13 home runs in only half a season. No, I didn't figure this is my last year. I think I have about three years left, in fact I am adopting a slogan for 1946 right now 'share the wealth'."

President Walter Briggs is reported to be "sharing the wealth" to the extent of \$60,000 this year for Big Hank's services but neither Greenberg nor the Detroit club will confirm the exact figures. He got \$55,000 last season.

The big fellow from Bronx smiled happily as he accepted congratulations on his recent marriage from Eddie Mayo and Paul Richards who had just arrived in camp.

"You know, this is the finest camp I ever saw," Hank remarked. "I never saw so much talent in any one camp anywhere. We should win the pennant with just normal luck."

The slugging outfielder returns to first base this season, not because he wanted to but because Manager Steve O'Neill thinks he can help the club most there. Greenberg balked at being converted to an outfielder in 1940 but it worked out all right he thinks; this probably will work out okay too.

## Alma Sharpshooter Totals 240 Points For Michigan State

East Lansing, Feb. 25 (AP)—Sam Fortino's 23 points against Wisconsin Saturday boosted his season's total to 240, a new Michigan State College individual basketball scoring mark, athletic department records revealed today.

The Alma sharpshooter in 20 games has chalked up 103 field goals and 30 free throws to better by one point the former record set by Joe Gerard in the 1941-42 season. A senior forward, Fortino makes his last appearance for the Spartans Friday night against Wisconsin here.

His 26 points against Syracuse earlier in the season were a new MSC record for a single contest.

WANTED—A well-established business must withstand thorough investigation. Give full particulars. Adam Kravetz, 16340 Coyle Ave., Detroit 27, Michigan. 5416-44-121.

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Blanks to be used for bidding purposes will be furnished by the City Clerk or City Manager.

The City Council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. CARL E. ANDERSON, City Clerk.

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## 250 FOOT JUMP THRILLS CROWD

Negaunee Youth Soars  
To New Record On  
Suicide Hill

Ishpeming—Wilbert Rasmussen, 16-year-old Negaunee youth riding for the Ishpeming Ski club, tasted glory and despair here Sunday afternoon in the 59th annual renewal of the Ishpeming Suicide Hill ski meet. Riding with perfection, Rasmussen, in his first trip down the hill, hit the glory trail for a hill record of 250 feet that stood for the day. On his second leap, of 238 feet, he fell, losing enough points to be out of the running for Class C honors.

The tournament was cursed with a strong alternating head and cross wind that stole substantial yardage from all performers. It died down momentarily early in the first Class C rides and Rasmussen had an opportunity to fulfill the promise he had shown all season of being one of America's greatest Class C riders.

The Class A and B riders were commended by the judges for "almost heroic action" in flying into the teeth of a wild wind to thrill a crowd estimated at 12,000, largest ever to witness an Ishpeming tournament.

Bietilas Win  
The afternoon also proved the setting for another Bietila triumph as Walter took first in Class A and Ralph in Class B.

Ishpeming took the first, fourth and fifth places in Class A; first four places in Class B and third in Class C. Allan Hamari, Iron Mountain, went into first place in Class C with rides of 200 and 210 feet. Waino Weimeri, Ironwood, won in the senior division by being the lone contender. Five others refused to ride in the high cross wind.

Three riders who were counted on for long jumps did not appear in the tournament. Everett Schorr, national Class C champion, pulled a tendon in a practice jump Saturday and was unable to compete today. Ted Zoberski, the Ironwood veteran, entered in Class A, sprained one of his ankles in a practice leap yesterday. Merrill Barber, another Class A ace who was entered, wired the Ski club late Saturday afternoon that he would be unable to come to Ishpeming.

The winners:  
CLASS A  
Walter Bietila, Ishpeming, 153.6; Eugene Wilson, Norga, Chicago, 151.1; Sverre Fredheim, St. Paul, 146.8; James Lawson, Ishpeming, 146.6; Roy Bietila, Ishpeming, 145.1. Special traveling trophy, Walter Bietila, 76 points on four.

CLASS B  
Ralph Bietila, Ishpeming, 144; Waino Mantyla, Ishpeming, 143.2; Joe Perrault, Ishpeming, 140.2; Norman Gauthier, Ishpeming, 139.6; Joe Muckovitz, Ironwood, 136.3. Most graceful rider, Joe Perrault.

CLASS C  
Allan Hamari, Iron Mountain, 137.4; David Freeman, Iron Mountain, 126



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**Freckles And His Friends**

**H**ILDA BROKE SOME EXPENSIVE RECORDINGS AT THE YOGEL HOUSE, AND JUNIOR, PROMISES NOT TO TELL HIS MOTHER ABOUT IT. LARD WILL TEACH HIM HYPNOTISM SO HE CAN COMMIT MAYHEM ON HIS MORTAL ENEMY, HECTOR GRUBBLE.

WHAT LL I DO, HONEY BUNNY? JUNIOR'S GOT ME OVER A BARREL!

AFTER ALL, LARD, HECTOR IS MY LITTLE BROTHER!

AND I WOULDN'T WANT ANY OTHER BOY TO INJURE HECTOR ----

---UNLESS HE COULD DO IT WITHOUT GETTING CAUGHT!

By Merrill Blosser

**Red Ryder**

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AND WHY DID YOU TRY TO CHOK ME THIS MORNING? I'M TALKIN'!

I'LL GO DOWN AN' FETCH ME SHERIFF, RUBY!

HURRY BACK!

By Fred Harmon

**Boots And Her Buddies**

**RUGGLES, YOU** CAN'T AFFORD TO OREEM! BACK TO WORK!

DO WE EAT THIS WEEK, OR DO I GET NO LUNGS?? WE EAT!

POOR BOOTS! MARRIED TO A FINANCIAL FIZZLE LIKE ME, I SAH USED TO HAVE FUN BEFORE SHE MARRIED ME!

POOR ROD! BEFORE HE MARRIED ME, HE HAD ALL THE FREEDOM IN THE WORLD!

By Martin

**Captain Easy**

**SO YOU THINK** IT WAS ME WHO MURDERED THAT REPORTER AND TRIED TO AMBUSH YOU!

I DON'T KNOW YET HOW YOU FOUND OUT I WAS COMING HERE... BUT YOU WAITED FOR ME, AND...

SUDDENLY EASY'S FOOT SLIPS OVER THE EDGE OF THE STAIR WELL.... HE GRABS AT WALK, AND...

By Turner

**Lil' Abner**

**(SIGH!) IF ONLY I** KNEW SOMEONE LIKE HIM—SOMEONE DIFFERENT FROM THOSE TIRED CITY TYPES? A WEEK OF SHOPPING SOMEHOW HADN'T BEEN QUITE ENOUGH OF A THRILL FOR A WEALTHY WIDOW FROM MILWAUKEE.

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By Chick Young

**Our Boarding House**

**TELL THE OTHERS** ON THIS RANCH TO TRY SINKING THEIR SPURS INTO LUNCH COUNTER STOOLS! I'M WALKING OUT TO VISIT MY SISTER IN ST. PAUL AND SEE THE WINTER CARNIVAL—JUST SAY I'M ON STRIKE!

**HEAVENS, MARTHA!** STAY! CUT THAT 25 PERCENT DEMAND A TRIFLE AND I'LL SEE THAT THE BOYS AGREE! --EGAD! I FEEL AN ONSET OF THE DREAD GOUT COMING ON! WOULD YOU LEAVE ME TO PERISH LIKE SOME FOREST CREATURE WITH A BROKEN LEG?

**SHE WENT THAT WAY, MISTER**

By Williams

**Out Our Way**

**PULL THAT** UNDERPANTS LEG UP! YOU'RE SOAKIN' UP ALL TH' WATER IN TH' CRICK, LIKE A WICK IN A LAMP!

**GOSH! I WONDERED** WHY SUCH A CHILL CAME ALL OVER ME ON SUCH A BALMY DAY!



## SEVEN HURT IN CAR COLLISION

Two Remain In Hospital;  
Autos Collide West  
Of Escanaba

Seven persons were injured, two seriously, in a collision of two cars at 11:25 Sunday night two and three-quarter miles west of Escanaba on Highway U-2-41.

Most seriously hurt and still receiving treatment in St. Francis hospital are:

Thomas Sprague, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sprague of 1023 Sixth avenue south, who has a head injury.

Jacqueline Gingrass, 16, of 420 South Eighth street, who suffered a fractured right leg.

Officers of Sheriff William E. Miron's department who investigated the accident said the first report of the accident was made at 11:30 p. m. Sunday by Harold Landerville of Pine Ridge.

The investigation report made by the officers was that cars driven by Harvey Beauchamp, 16, of Wilson, and Mrs. J. E. Sprague collided as the Beauchamp car was going west, and the Sprague car east. Both cars were damaged. The Beauchamp car was owned by the youth's father, Edward, of Wilson.

Occupants of the Beauchamp car who suffered minor injuries in the accident were Clayton Beauchamp, 17, brother of the driver; Geraldine Ford, 16, Escanaba Rt. 1; Mary Gingrass, 18, of 420 South Eighth street; and Joyce Vanlerberghe, 17, of 814 North 18th street. Uninjured was Robert Poisson, 19, of Wilson.

In the Sprague car besides Mrs. Sprague and her four-year-old son was a young baby in a basket crib, who was unhurt.

Officers who investigated the accident said the young people in the Beauchamp car had left the Chuckle Club to give another car a push, and were returning to the club when the accident occurred.

## U.P. Liquor Vendors To Convene Here Wednesday

The 1946 quarterly convention of the U. P. Liquor and Beer Vendors association will be held in Escanaba starting at 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 27, in Bonifas Memorial auditorium. It was announced yesterday by Bob Best, association secretary.

About 550 persons, including licensees, are expected to attend. The association recently established permanent offices in Escanaba. Registration will open on Wednesday morning in the association office, Room 203 First National Bank building.

The general business meeting will open at 1 o'clock in the Bonifas auditorium, with Sid Stewart of Menominee, association president, presiding. Annual reports will be presented by the officers.

Principal speakers at the afternoon business meeting will be Charles Parrish, chief of the law enforcement division of the Michigan liquor control commission; Felix Flynn, Lansing, member of the liquor control commission; William Linaker, Escanaba, chief enforcement officer in the Upper Peninsula for the liquor control commission; and James Dotsch, educational director of the Michigan Table Top association.

At 6:30 o'clock a dinner will be served in the St. Joseph church basement, with Frank Aleo of St. Ignace as toastmaster. Mayor Sam

## Local USES Office Solicits Employers For Job Openings

J. M. Damitz, local manager of the United States Employment Service, today announced that employers in Delta county will be solicited for job openings to be filled by returning veterans, former war plant workers and other job seekers.

"The local job development campaign," Mr. Damitz said, "parallels a state and national campaign to promote the listing of jobs for approximately 6,200,000 returning service men and women, former war plant workers and other job seekers."

Up to the present time approximately 350 returned veterans have been placed in jobs, but at the same time there are approximately 1200 applications on file locally. There is a total of 1600 applications from job seekers on file in his office. Furthermore, increasing numbers of veterans will be back during the peak of demobilization between now and July 1, adding greatly to the number of jobs which must be found.

"Most veterans who are out of jobs now have good qualifications for a wide variety of jobs," said Mr. Damitz. "If they did not have work experience before entering the services, many gained experience and skills which fit them for a variety of jobs in civilian industry. As a matter of fact, veterans represent, in many cases, the 'cream' of the labor market."

"Since we do not have enough job openings which match the experience, training, and abilities of these applicants, we are going to make every effort to find them."

"We need a wide range of jobs, good jobs in a variety of occupations, listed with USES in every case so that qualified veterans and other job applicants can be referred to specific employers for the specific kind of jobs they are qualified to perform."

"The employer will benefit by listing all his jobs with USES since he will have a greater chance of hiring the workers he wants than through other means. The employer who places orders for workers with the local USES has a big advantage today—the widest choice of available workers, veterans, or others, since most of them are registered."

juvenile court authorities, and they will be arraigned before Juvenile Judge William Miller.

Bargains you want on Classified Page.

## 350,000 FM SETS IN USE

Radio Industry Expects  
66 Million Receivers  
In Few Years

BY C. E. BUTTERFIELD  
New York—In less than a decade, FM broadcasting has amassed an estimated listening audience owning 350,000 receivers. All are prewar, designed for the old 42-50 megacycle frequency assignment.

When the system recovers from the stand-by operation of the war years, FM men say that figure will be just like a grain of sand on a beach. They are confident that as fast as new sets can be turned out, the figure will approach, maybe even surpass, the generally accepted total of 66,000,000 standard broadcast receivers.

The many applications for new licenses are cited as sufficient evidence of how anxious the broadcaster is to get into FM.

Naturally, the public is the factor in the speed of growth through the purchase of new receivers. But new sets have been slow in getting on the market, and it may be late spring before many are available. Manufacturers have been concentrating on simple standard broadcast sets.

The new receivers, adapted for tuning in the reassigned 88-108 megacycle band, also are to incorporate numerous improvements. Plans call for combination FM and standard broadcast, and single FM. Some will make provision for television.

The FM receiver must be particularly built because both the wave length and its functioning differ from that for standard broadcasting. But prewar receivers still can be made to operate on the new channels by altering the tuning section or by adding an adaptor.

Look to 1947  
The question of new transmitters is another matter. More time is required both for construction and installation, so it may be 1947 before many get on the air.

Operation on the new frequencies is to get underway as early as feasible. When the shift is complete and normal conditions

## Israel Fournier Of Escanaba Dies

Israel Fournier, 89, passed away yesterday morning at the Delta county infirmary. He was born Jan. 24, 1857, in Clarence Creek, Canada. He is survived by one step-son, Jack Langworthy, Bay View; one step-daughter, Mrs. Margaret Wendling, Pine Ridge; two sisters, Mary Wendling, Sault Ste. Marie, and Mrs. Emil Johnson, Ranier, Minn.

The body was taken to the Anderson funeral home, and will lie in state beginning at one o'clock this afternoon. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Burial will be in Lakeview cemetery at Manistique.

prevail, the next step will be network. The FM system has been adapted to television, it being used for the sound channel.

Broadcasting isn't the only place where FM can do a job. It was widely employed in the war, and has nearly as many commercial applications as other systems of radio communication, particularly shortrange.

## News From Men In The Service

S 1/c John M. Madden, son of Kathryn Madden, of Indianapolis, formerly of Escanaba, has been transferred to Corpus Christi, Texas, from Melbourne, Florida Naval Air Station. He played with the Melbourne Hellicats basketball team while stationed in Florida.

## Retired Railroad Official Is Dead

Chicago, Ill.—(AP)—Bert E. Terpin, 77, retired general superintendent of the North Western road, died Saturday night at Columbus hospital.

Death resulted from pneumonia and burns suffered when he dropped a match in his lap last Feb. 4 in a downtown hotel where he had been staying since his return from Florida several weeks ago. His home was in suburban Mount Prospect.

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## Student Council Votes To Keep Present Dances

The student council of the Escanaba Senior high school voted almost unanimously to continue the senior high school dances at their meeting held the first period of school yesterday morning.

The vote was two to one in favor of not having a paid orchestra at these dances and continuing to keep the senior high school matinee orchestra for the school dances. It was felt that if they had a paid orchestra admission to the dances would have to be so high that a lot of the students would not be able to attend.

A pledge to endorse the present dance arrangement and support these dances all they could was made by the members of the council.

## Two Boys Confess S. Army Burglary

Two Escanaba boys, 14 and 16 years of age, were taken in custody Saturday night by Escanaba police and confessed to entering the Salvation Army headquarters building and stealing about \$50 in silver.

When the boys were apprehended they had about \$15 in cash, and had made purchases so that the total accounted for was about \$24.50.

Police turned the boys over to

## Obituary

### FRED GEREAU

Funeral services for Fred Gereau were held yesterday morning at St. Andrew's church of Nahma, the Rev. Fr. Ralph Sterbenz officiating.

Music of the mass was sung by the St. Andrew's choir, directed by Mrs. Clyde Tobin, organist. "Pie Jesu" was sung at the offertory, and "Peace be Still" at the close of the service.

Pallbearers were Frank Blowers, John Parins, Homer French, Fred Olmstead, Edward Sargent and Albert Root. Burial was in the family lot in Nahma cemetery.

Attending the funeral from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Antone Gereau, Mrs. Edward Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. John Parins, Escanaba; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sargent and children, Donald and Vicky, Richard Gereau, Alex Fluette and daughter, Mabel, Edward Sargent, all of Muskegon.

## Hospital

William Peterson, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Peterson, 1112 Fifth Avenue south, has been taken to St. Luke's hospital in Marquette for treatment.

Mrs. Betty Elizabeth Erickson of Powers is a patient at St. Joseph hospital in Menominee, where she will submit to a major operation on Wednesday, Mrs. Erickson is the widow of the late Lawrence G. Erickson. The family formerly lived in Escanaba and Bark River.

Wallace Gasman of 1302 Ludington street is a patient at St. Francis hospital where he is recovering from an appendectomy performed last Thursday.

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## A Message from President Truman



It is of the utmost importance that the American people understand the status and significance of our new Regular Army. It will be the duty of this volunteer Army to help protect the freedoms and maintain the peace we have won at so great a cost.

Atomic power has increased rather than decreased the necessity for our preparation, both in manpower and material. In the coming atomic age, the United States must maintain its military strength—to insure our national security and to promote world order.

Such grave responsibilities obviously cannot be met by anything less than the highest caliber of men. For this reason, I asked Congress for legislation to increase the opportunities of the soldier in the Regular Army. This legislation has been passed and signed by me, and is now in effect.

In serving his country, a man can now get good pay, education, travel and security—with family allowances for his dependents and a new 20-year retirement plan that compares with or excels anything in American

industry. These, and the many other advantages of the new Regular Army, should be made known to all our service men and their families.

The Army has embarked upon a world-wide campaign to enlist enough men so that, in demobilizing, we shall not strip our services below the peacetime need. It is imperative that public support be given to this program. We must replace as soon as possible men who have served long and arduously, and who wish to return to civil life. We must also build an Army of volunteers adequate to all our requirements—at home and abroad—until the long-range peace terms and military policies are worked out.

I hope that every individual and group will give earnest and enthusiastic co-operation to this great effort to rebuild our Regular Army. The success of this campaign is vital to the performance of our tremendous task of securing the peace.

*Harry S. Truman*  
PRESIDENT

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Sergeant	78.00	50.70	87.75	87.75
Corporal	66.00	42.90	74.25	74.25
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**NOODLES** 2 8 oz. **25¢**

ALICE BRAND

**HOMINY** No. 2½ can **15¢**

CRISP HEAD

**LETTUCE**

2 for **27¢**

FRESH GREEN TOP

**CARROTS**

2 Bunches **17¢**

CRISP PASCAL

**CELERY** . . . Stalk **15¢**

SOLID, NEW

**CABBAGE** . . . lb. **8¢**

SUPERIOR BRAND, GRADE 1

**POTATOES** Peck **49¢**

MARSH SEEDLESS

**Grapefruit** 6 for **29¢**

CALIFORNIA SWEET

**ORANGES** Doz. **29¢**

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FRESH LAMB (Wrapped in Bacon)

**CROQUETTES** Try Them; They're Delicious lb. **39¢**

Fresh, Meaty

**NECK BONES** . . . . . lb **8¢**

Fancy Shoulder

**LAMB ROAST** . . . . . lb **32¢**

Young Tender

**BEEF LIVER** . . . . . lb **35¢**

Fresh, Lean

**BEEF BOILING** . . . . . lb **19¢**

Country Fresh

**CHICKENS** . . . . . lb **39¢**

Little Pig

**PORK SAUSAGE** . . . lb **48¢**

FANCY, IMPORTED

**LINGON BERRIES**

Quart

**49¢**

Fancy, Lean, Brine

**SALT**

**PORK**

lb. **29¢**

**SUPER SUDS, SOAP FLAKES, VEL, SPIC & SPAN**